

CAPT. STRONG IN
CLOSE CORNER.

The War Department Refuses to Accept His Resignation and
Wants to Know the Facts About His Escapade With
Lady Francis Hope in San
Francisco.

WASHINGTON, July 13.—Captain B. Strong, Q. M., resigned from the army yesterday, and his resignation was accepted. The resignation did not come through the regular channels, but was telegraphed to an officer in the department, Strong giving a considerable length his reasons for leaving the service, they being principally business and financial ones which necessitated his personal attention.

Resignation Accepted.
Captain Strong's resignation was laid before Secretary Root and accepted by him. It is stated at the department that Captain Strong's accounts are correct. The department has no official knowledge of any escapade in which Captain Strong is reported to have figured in San Francisco.

Resignation Not Accepted.
WASHINGTON, July 13.—Secretary Root has decided not to accept the resignation of Captain Strong for the present. It is stated that the action of the Secretary last night in accepting the resignation was of an informal character, and as no official action had been taken Secretary Root today directed that a dispatch be sent to Captain Strong saying that his resignation would not be accepted until it had been received by mail through the regular channels, accompanied by a full explanation as to why the resignation was presented.

Must Explain Escapade.
This action leaves Captain Strong still in the service and subject to any inquiry that may be made if the department deems it desirable to investigate the alleged circumstances which have been published in connection with his resignation. It is understood cognizance has been taken by the department of the publication this morning of the escapade in San Francisco in which Captain Strong is alleged to have figured with Lady Francis Hope.

Captain's Requests Denied.
Captain Strong, who was under orders to go to the Philippines, yesterday telegraphed the Acting Quartermaster General requesting permission to go to the Philippines on a commercial liner instead of one of the Government transports. He also asked for transportation. His requests were promptly denied.

**KILLED ON AN
OVERLAND TRAIN.**

Ned Hartly Copeland Slays a
Passenger on a Trip
East.

OMAHA, July 12.—Ned Hartly Copeland, who last night killed A. P. Rogers, on a Union Pacific train near Rawlins, Wyo., was a trusted teller in the Nebraska National Bank in this city for ten years prior to August, 1899. He left the city at that time, ostensibly for a summer vacation and visit to the Eastern States and has not since been heard from. At the bank Copeland was designated as the "B and M" teller, he having charge of the deposits of the Burlington and Missouri Railway. A month after his departure the Burlington account at the bank showed a shortage of \$10,000. Half of this amount was made good by Copeland's brother-in-law, and the remainder by his bondsmen. The bond company that acted as his surety has been looking for Copeland ever since the shortage was discovered, but has been unable to locate him.

Henry W. Yates, President of the Nebraska National Bank, says that Copeland had been leading a fast life for some time prior to his departure from the city and he thinks this with his other troubles caused him to partially lose his mind. Copeland was recently heard from on the Pacific Coast through a fraternal body with which he was connected and was being traced by a detective agency. It is supposed that Rogers recognized him and this may have led to the shooting.

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EX-PRESIDENT TO
GO TO WORK.

Andrade Says He Is Not Hatching
a Plot Against Venezuela.

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, July 13.—Ex-President Andrade of Venezuela, who arrived here Thursday from New York, has been interviewed regarding the story circulated in the United States that he had been interested with other Venezuelans in raising a fund for political purposes. He said he was no longer concerned in Venezuelan politics; that his property was mortgaged and that he must now work for a living as he had done before he was President of Venezuela.

When asked if he was not interested in a revolutionary movement in Venezuela, Andrade replied:

"Yes, a change of government is indispensable and one or two revolutions do not injure a country."

**OLD MONTANA PIONEER
HAS PASSED AWAY.**

HELENA, Mont., July 13.—Colonel John A. Johnstone, a pioneer of both Iowa and Montana, is dead here, aged 76 years. He was twice a member of the Iowa Legislature before the Civil War and came to Montana in 1879, having been prominent in political and legal circles since.

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YOUNG MURPHY
IN COURT OF
BANKRUPTCY.

His Divorced Wife Has a Claim of
\$25,000 For Unpaid
Alimony.

The Famous Murphy Contest
Was Tried Before Alameda
County Court.

LONDON, July 13.—Bertram O'Neil Murphy, son of a late San Francisco millionaire and brother of Lady Worsley, appeared in the bankruptcy court, the petitioning creditor being his former wife, who has judgments against him aggregating \$5,000.

With respect to the alimony allowed by the court when the couple were divorced in 1894, Murphy in the course of his examination said that never since his divorce had he paid a penny towards the maintenance of his wife and child, and although until June last his brother had given him an allowance of \$1500 yearly, his father had disinherited him. Murphy also said a certain solicitor in London was now supporting him and he denied the use of aliases, although he admitted that he might have been known by the name of Muddle.

The newspapers are using the occasion of Murphy's appearance in court to reprint the stories of his clandestine marriage with a daughter of Field Marshal Sir Donald Stewart and the kidnapping of his child in 1894.

[The Murphy heirs own quite a large estate in Oakland, including some Broadway property. The famous contest over Mrs. Murphy's will was tried by Judge Henshaw in the Superior Court of this county.]

**EXCURSION BOAT
BLOWS UP.**

Two Killed in the Wreck and a
Number Are Reported
Missing.

SUNBURY, Pa., July 13.—An excursion boat anchored in the Susquehanna River at the foot of Market street, this city, blew up with terrific force today, killing two boys and injuring a dozen other persons, two fatally. One man is missing and may have been killed.

The dead:
ALLEN AND ARTIE FETZER, aged 14 and 12 respectively.
Missing: George Frymire, the pilot of the boat.
Charles Keller, aged 12, and Frank Keller, aged 8, will probably die from injuries.

Several others were injured but not seriously. All of the boys killed and injured were fishing on a near-by wharf when the explosion occurred.

The engineer was about at the time leaving the boat in charge of the pilot. When he left there was a pressure of sixty pounds in the boiler and he says he opened the fire door. No cause is given for the explosion.

**PYTHIAN IS
UNDER FIRE.**

CHICAGO, July 13.—John A. Hinsey, who, as a result of an investigation of the affairs of the Endowment Bank of the Knights of Pythias, recently was permitted to resign from the Board of Control, was again under fire here today. Officers of the Knights of Korassian, the pleasure-seeking branch of the order, of which Hinsey was Imperial Prince, held a secret session, at which it was decided to ask him to resign. It was also decided to call for an examination of the books.

Although Hinsey was a prime mover in founding this branch, he was not allowed to attend the meeting today.

**TERMINUS WON
HANDCAP RACE.**

CHICAGO, July 13.—At Washington Park this afternoon, the Young Handicap, at a mile and three-sixteenths, was contested, for the best three-year-olds and upwards in the West. Three American Derby winners—Pink Coat, Sidney Lucas, and Robert Waddell—were entered, together with eleven others.

Terminus won the Young Stakes, Vesuvius second, John Bright third. Time 1:59 1/4.

PENNSYLVANIA
BOYS DEFEAT
IRISH LADS.

Victory Was a Hollow One Because
it Was Won by
20 Lengths.

America's Crew Will Be Dined
Tonight By Chief Justice
of Ireland.

KILLARNEY, July 13.—The University of Pennsylvania crew won their race against Trinity College of Dublin crew. The course was from Glens Bay to Castlebough Bay. The water was smooth and there was no wind.

Victory a Hollow One.
The victory of the American crew was a hollow one. A good start was made at 4:35 P. M. The Irish crew took the lead in the beginning, rowing 38 strokes to the minute, while the Americans rowed 40. The Trinity shell was seen to be in the lead for about 30 seconds; then the Pennsylvanians drew up even and immediately took first place. At the end of the first minute the Pennsylvanians were well in front and at once drew clear, widening the distance until at the finish they were 20 lengths ahead, having covered the course in 16 minutes 20 seconds.

Will Be Dined Tonight.
The Pennsylvanians will dine tonight with Sir Peter O'Brien, the Lord Chief Justice of Ireland. It is their intention to make a tour of the Lakes of Kesh, Sunday and return to London next Tuesday, where they will be entertained at dinner by the American residents. The Pennsylvanians will entertain the Leander crew at dinner during the coming week.

After seeing the sights of London the members of the American crew will leave for New York on the Red Star steamer Vaderland, sailing from Antwerp July 20 via Southampton.

**RIOTERS ARE
FINED IN COURT.**

Tried to Secure Negroes to Lynch
Them and Must Pay Five
Dollars.

KANSAS CITY, July 13.—Roberts and Holland, the negroes suspected of assaulting Miss Davis and whom a mob tried to reach at the County Jail last night, were "sweated" this morning, but neither admitted complicity in the crime. It is believed that an attempt more determined than last night's will be made to-day, but if not, late tonight, to break into the County Jail and lynch the negroes. Marshal has taken every precaution to protect the men and combat any attack on the jail. Roberts and Holland were supposed to have been spirited away from the city last night but it developed this morning that they had simply been taken into a tunnel running from the jail to the court house across the street and kept there until the extreme excitement died down. The mob dispersed before daylight and the men were returned to their cells.

Maupin, it is believed, will be arraigned during the day, when trouble may result. If possible he will be taken before Miss Davis today to see if she can identify him. She has already partially identified Roberts and Holland, who, she says, held her, while the third man committed the assault.

Maupin has served time in the County Jail and at one time was a "trustee." Roberts has served time in the penitentiary.

Governor Dockery has offered a reward of \$500 each for the arrest of the assailants of Miss Davis.

The thirteen men arrested last night for inciting riot were fined \$5 each in the Police Court this morning and released. The charges against them were disorderly conduct, carrying concealed weapons and destroying personal property.

Roberts and Holland were arraigned late yesterday and their preliminary trial has been set for July 22.

Roberts and Holland have been positively identified as two of the assailants of Miss Davis. Maupin, who was at first believed to be the leader of the gang, was made to undergo several "sweatings" at noon and at its conclusion Chief Hayes said he thought the man was innocent.

**QUEEN FELL AS A RESULT
OF THE HOT WEATHER.**

BRUSSELS, July 13.—Queen Marie Henriette fell a victim to the extreme heat which prevailed yesterday. Her Majesty was playing croquet in the grounds of her villa at Spa when she was overcome and fell. She was carried in doors and soon recovered consciousness. Her Majesty's physician, however, was summoned to Spa to attend her.

WHAT WILL
FRANK WARE
HAVE TO SAY?

Dashing May Edwards is Accused
in the Superior Court
of Infidelity.

Mrs. Thomas Drake Says That
Her Husband Has Been
Led Astray.

Two families are involved in a suit for divorce filed today by May H. Drake against Thomas M. Drake, a railroad freight brakeman. Mrs. Drake charges her husband with infidelity, naming as co-respondent the dashing Mrs. May Ware, wife of Frank Ware, who has the distinction of being called "the handsomest conductor in the employ of the Southern Pacific Company."

Drake and wife were married in a suit for divorce filed today by May H. Drake against Thomas M. Drake, a railroad freight brakeman. Mrs. Drake charges her husband with infidelity, naming as co-respondent the dashing Mrs. May Ware, wife of Frank Ware, who has the distinction of being called "the handsomest conductor in the employ of the Southern Pacific Company."

It is alleged in the complaint that on the night of May 26 Drake and Mrs. Ware went to San Francisco together and did not return until the afternoon of the next day. When Drake left home the previous evening he had told his wife that he was going to the railroad yards to see if he had to go out on a train. He told his wife not to wait dinner on him. It is alleged that instead of going to the railroad yards he met Mrs. Ware.

Mrs. Drake telephoned to the freight office and learned that her husband had laid off.

When Drake returned home the next day he told his wife that he had become intoxicated with some of the "boys" in San Francisco and had missed the last boat. Afterwards, it is (Continued on Page 2.)

**AERONAUT HAS
A CLOSE CALL.**

Balloon Meets With an Accident
and Lands in the
Trees.

PARIS, July 13.—M. Santos-Dumont, the Brazilian aeronaut, made the official trial of his balloon in the attempt to win the prize of 100,000 francs offered by Henry Dutsch for a manageable balloon, before a committee.

Ascending from the Piere de Miron he reached the Eiffel tower in a quarter of an hour and after sailing around the tower, started to return to the Piere de Miron but lack of motive power necessitated a descent at Boulogne Sur-Seine. The trials will be resumed later.

The condition of the winning of the Dutch prize is that the trip from St. Cloud to the Eiffel tower and back must be made in half an hour. Santos Dumont started at 7:40 a. m. He reached the Eiffel tower in fifteen minutes, turned around it and had begun his return trip when the motor failed and the aeronaut ripped the silk of his balloon, fearing disaster unless he could quickly reach the ground. The balloon pitched forward head foremost into a clump of trees on the Rothschild estate near Boulogne where it was caught and suspended in the branches on the opposite side of the Seine from the starting point. Santos-Dumont was not hurt.

**Sacrifice Sale
OF
Fine Residence
PROPERTIES**

Several choice pieces of residence property, centrally located, is offered at one-half cost price, on account of owner having to go East. For particulars address Box 48, Tribune office.

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As you would your Dentist.
Let Me Be Your Optician.**

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THE
OPTICIAN
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Have your Glasses adjusted.
No Charge.

MISS WAKEMAN
NEARLY KILLED.

Pretty Daughter of Mrs. Belle Wakeman is Run Down by a Reckless
Boy Cyclist and Receives Injuries That Are
Likely to Prove Fatal—Spine and Base
of the Brain Are Injured.

On a cot in the rear of E. Hollenstein's grocery store at Alice and Twelfth streets, Miss Carrie Wakeman, the pretty 19-year-old daughter of Mrs. Belle Wakeman, a widow residing on Twelfth street, lies almost at the point of death, the result of a bicycle collision, due to nothing short of the criminal carelessness of an unknown boy rider.

Miss Wakeman's most serious injury is one that affects the base of her skull and her spine. She suffers excruciating pain almost steadily and it is feared she cannot live.

The collision, and it was not an accident, by any means, if eye witnesses are to be believed—occurred at the east side of the crossing at Alice and Twelfth streets, about 5 o'clock last evening.

Miss Wakeman was riding along slowly in an easterly direction on Twelfth street. Along on the east sidewalk a young boy about 16 years old, was coasting northerly. When he reached Twelfth street he turned off the crossing slightly and struck full force the wheel Miss Wakeman was riding.

The young lady was thrown about six feet and fell violently to the ground, where she lay unconscious until E. Hollenstein, who witnessed the collision from his grocery store, rushed to her side, picked her up carefully and carried her into a room at the rear of his store, where she has been ever since.

Her wheel is a total wreck and the boy, whose criminal carelessness is responsible for the collision, although he, too, was thrown from his bicycle, promptly mounted again and rode off. He did not wait to learn of his (Continued on Page 2.)

**STRIKERS GO
BACK TO WORK.**

READING, Pa., July 13.—At 2:30 p. m. today the 2,600 striking iron workers of the Reading Iron Co. decided to accept the terms of Vice President Smyth. The strike was called off and the men will go back as soon as the company is ready for them.

When the strike was started the company had many contracts on hand. Those either had to be given other firms or cancelled altogether.

**GENERAL CHAFFEE
IS HEARD FROM.**

WASHINGTON, July 13.—General Chaffee, at Manila, has informed the War Department of the death of First Lieutenant Chas. R. Ramsey, Twenty-first Infantry, who died from wounds received in the action at Lipa, Luzon.

GROCERY AUCTION SALE.

We have received instructions from H. Kurrich to sell out his stock of groceries, canned goods, tobacco, fixtures, etc., at public auction Monday, July 15 at 11 a. m. at 617 San Pablo avenue, on account of leaving for Chicago; only been in business four months.
J. A. MUNRO & CO., Auctioneers,
1501 Park St., Alameda. Tel Grand 176.

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Men are easily satisfied; they seldom change shoe-makers, and they buy any old thing. That is wrong. Why not buy stylish up-to-date goods when they cost no more? The price is so, the description perfect, leather good, and the shoes are of the best kind, tops double decked, hand welted soles, with double stitching. The swiftest shoe ever offered for \$5.00. Cannot be duplicated elsewhere for \$5.00.

Country orders solicited. We have no branch stores or traveling salesmen.

Philadelphia Shoe Co., 10 THIRD ST. SAN FRANCISCO

GREAT SHOOT AT SHELL MOUND.
WILL DEDICATE AN ALTAR.

Contests Will Begin Tomorrow and Will Continue for One Week.

The third great shooting festival of the National Bundfest, made up of about ninety rifle and gun clubs from all parts of the United States will open at Shell Mound Park tomorrow.

It will make the greatest contest of sharpshooters ever held on the Pacific Coast, and the prizes will aggregate something in the neighborhood of \$100,000. For a whole week the ceaseless crack of rifle and ping of targets will be heard.

Before leaving San Francisco tomorrow morning there will be a parade to the ferry. There will be at least nine bands in line, and all of the rifle and gun clubs that will participate in the national shoot will be well represented.

The shooting at Shell Mound will be from 8 a. m. to 12 m. and from 1 to 7 p. m. each day. All shooting will be open hand and no shooter will be permitted to rest any part of his body against or upon any support.

F. P. Schuster, R. Langer, O. Lemko, O. Thiele and H. Huber will be the shooting masters.

For the entertainment of the visiting sharpshooters an elaborate program of concerts and sight seeing has been managed by the San Francisco committee.

THE GLENN CASE IS BEING HEARD.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., July 13.—The Glenn case was resumed today with E. E. Byers on the stand. He testified that he had seen Glenn at the time he lived in Williamson. He said he never knew Glenn was not a man. Glenn always acted like a man in every way. He said Glenn had false teeth both upper and lower.

A suit for \$50,000 damages has been filed in the United States Circuit Court by Ellis Glenn against William Richardson and Julius Richardson, his son, for the alleged kidnapping of the prisoner at Litchfield, Illinois, last year.

MADRID BUDGET COMMITTEE MEETS.

MADRID, July 13.—The Budget Committee, after a prolonged and critical discussion has decided to shelve for the present the proposals of the Minister of Finance, suspending the coinage of silver except in the case of one and two peseta pieces and urging the negotiating of treasury bonds at three, six, nine and twelve months, according to the demands of commerce.

H. J. ROGERS TO BUILD HANDSOME RESIDENCE.

Henry J. Rogers has let a contract to J. T. and J. H. Dingwall for the construction of a handsome residence on Linden street near Eighth street. The contract price is \$8,000. The building is to be modern in all respects, being equipped with electric wires and ornamental finishings inside. It will be two and a half stories, with basement.

- Licensed to Marry.
- Francis William Frye, Berkeley.....24
 - Irene Maud Larsen, Berkeley.....24
 - William A. Read, San Francisco.....28
 - Allice Louise Marcher, S. P.....20
 - Frederick James A. Jones, Oakland.....22
 - Esther Josephine Bayles, Sunol.....18

On a Vacation.

Deputy County Clerk Charles Arnold has gone to Portland for a two weeks' vacation.

With Wm. Walsh at the Helm

We are not to be conquered, so we offer the following prices THIS WEEK ONLY.

- 17 pounds Granulated Sugar for \$1.00
- 8 bars Washing Soap.....25c
- 3 packages Scotch Oats.....25c
- 3 cans Oysters.....25c
- 7 bars Ivory Soap.....50c
- 15 bars Queen Lily Soap.....1.00

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COLONEL BUTLER HOME AGAIN.
HONORS FOR THEODORE GIER.

Made a Fortune on the Stage and Will Go on the Road Once More.

Was the Leading Man in Raising the Money for the Fourth of July.

Col. Fay Butler, one of the best known of the former residents of this city and who, for a number of years was connected with the business department of THE TRIBUNE, arrived here today from Los Angeles.

He will remain here until Monday night, when he will leave for Chicago where he will start out, for the season of 1901-'02, with the great extravaganza specialty creation known as "Naughty Adams."

There has been a great deal of money expended in the production of this piece but the Colonel is satisfied that the money will return in a most liberal manner.

Colonel Butler is meeting with a number of his old friends and the meeting is a source of mutual gratification. The Colonel has made several of money as an actor and manager. He is a rich man.

MISS WAKEMAN NEARLY KILLED.

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victim's condition or the extent of her injuries, nor stay to learn her name, much less disclose his own identity.

Mr. Hollenstetter directed his wife to promptly summon Dr. P. L. Herrick of the Central Bank building. The physician responded, and Dr. Boyce was also called in.

Every comfort was afforded the injured young lady, who, rallying some, asked for her mother, and Mrs. A. McNevin of 120 Eleventh street, where the Wakemans had been visiting during the day. She stated in a whisper that she was on her way to the McNevin residence when she was run down.

The physicians made a hasty examination which disclosed an injury at the base of the brain and the spine. Whether the vertebrae or the skull is fractured is not as yet ascertained, but the worst is feared.

Dr. Herrick would under no consideration allow that the patient be removed. Her condition today is not improved. In fact, a further investigation this morning showed that Miss Wakeman had sustained many bruises about the body and arms and shoulders.

Mrs. McNevin, who with the grief-stricken mother, is watching over the injured lady, states her condition is exceedingly serious.

"The worst injuries are, at the base of the brain and spine," said Mrs. McNevin. "The unfortunate girl cannot move. To change her position now and then we have to lift her, and when we do this she cries out with pain."

Hollenstetter in detailing the facts of the collision said: "I was standing in my store at the time. It was about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and I saw a strange boy dressed as riders are usually dressed, in a sweater. He wore a coat and cap. He was coasting up Alice street on the sidewalk on the east side at a high rate of speed. When he came to Twelfth street he turned suddenly to the west and as he did he struck Miss Wakeman's wheel squarely. She was riding in the middle of Twelfth street."

"I rushed out, for it was plain that she was hurt. She was unconscious and I picked her up in my arms and carried her to a room back of the store. When she regained consciousness she cried out from pain. We immediately sent for Dr. Herrick and the mother and Mrs. McNevin. She is seriously hurt, and I think it is a downright shame that riders are permitted to coast on the sidewalks."

"It was pure criminal carelessness on the part of the boy rider, for I heard no bell or whistle of alarm from his wheel while the girl was riding along slowly in the middle of the street. I have no idea who the boy is, but he ought to be found and punished."

RUSSIAN OFFICERS ATTEND CEREMONY.

TIEN TSIN, July 13.—A hundred Russian officers, a band of music, two priests from Port Arthur, M. de Giers, the Russian Minister, and members of legations attended the ceremony today of the opening of the new concern and the unveiling of the monument erected to the memory of the Russians killed during the relief of Peking. A majority of the Russians will remain to celebrate the French national fete, July 14th.

GUILTY OF BURGLARY IN THE FIRST DEGREE.

The jury in the case of Charles Wright last evening returned a verdict of guilty of burglary in the first degree. He will be sentenced next Tuesday.

On the night of April 24th Wright entered the store of E. Olson at Third and Jefferson streets and stole some shoes and robbed the till of about \$5 in small change. He was arrested about 3 o'clock in the morning with the stolen goods in his possession. Two companions were with him, but they were not held, as they did not have any of the stolen property.

JOINT CONFERENCE STILL IN SESSION.

PITTSBURG, July 13.—The joint conference was resumed this morning. While no date has been set for a final adjournment, several of the conferees are arranging to leave the city this evening and as President Shaffer has declared that he will not consent to any further postponement of the conference, it is believed that a settlement or disagreement will be reached before nightfall.

After a session of an hour and a half the conference took a recess for lunch. All attempts to induce the conferees to talk were fruitless. They will meet again at 2 o'clock.

SAILED FOR EUROPE WITH HER CHILDREN.

NEW YORK, July 13.—Attorneys for Dan R. Hanna of Cleveland obtained from Justice McAdam, in the Supreme Court today a writ of habeas corpus returnable Monday, commanding Mary Harrington Hanna to produce in court her three children. Mr. Hanna in his petition says that the children were restrained of their liberty by their mother on the pretense that she has a right to their custody and that he, their father, has been illegally deprived of their charge. Mr. Hanna accompanied the detectives to the Hotel Savoy to serve the writ and he was told that Mrs. Hanna had sailed with her children on the steamer Menominee which cleared the bay bound for London at 10:30 o'clock this morning.

ALAMEDA GIRL IS INJURED AT MONTEREY.

PACIFIC GROVE, July 13.—Miss Alice Taber of Alameda narrowly escaped death while wheeling down Carmel hill, just outside of old Monterey. She lost control of her wheel and was thrown violently to the ground, striking on her head and sustaining a number of bad cuts and bruises. Some Japanese picked her up and brought her to Monterey, where her wounds were given attention. Her physicians apprehend no serious results.

THREATENED NEIGHBORS AND CARRIED A BLADE.

BERKELEY, July 13.—John Rambell, a colored man, was arrested today by Deputy Marshal Preston on the charge of carrying a concealed weapon. The complaint was made by Mrs. Grubbe. Rambell carries a cane in which is concealed a blade and it seems he has been threatening to use this blade upon the complainant and other neighbors.

WASH-GOODS WEEK begins Monday

the economical buyer, who laid in only a part of her supply of wash-goods in spring, may now profit by her prudence. Because of the cold weather of the season's early months wash-goods were "slow." We have a large stock still—we must make it "quick." That means placing low—extremely low—prices on all lines of cotton fabrics—ginghams, percales, cheviots, Japanese crepes, lawn dimities, organdies, white goods, wash foulards, and piques. These prices will prevail next week—wash-goods week. The lines advertised today are but a few of those marked down

percales they are 36 in. wide—made strong for wear, but pretty enough for waists or house gowns. You have not bought this quality at less than 12½ cents—the price is 10 cents	dimities they may well be called dainty dimities—dainty in design and dainty in coloring. If you need a fresh summer gown you may buy this 25 cent material for 15 cents	ginghams D. and J. Anderson Scotch ginghams—they wear like iron—isn't that what's wanted for a school dress? You cannot buy them for less than 25 cents—the price now is 15 cents
Pongee de l'Exposition this is a cotton foulard of splendid finish—in design and appearance it closely matches this season's best French foulards. It will make a pretty late summer dress. It sells for 25 cents—the price is 15 cents	Japanese crepes do you need a durable shirt waist, or an outing shirt for the small boy, or a dress for the school-girl? If so, you will be glad to learn that our 25 cent Japanese crepes are now 15 cents	white goods sheer lawns and dimities in lace and open—work stripe effect—for the white waists now so popular, or dainty white dresses—regularly 25 cents—this week 20 cents

TAFT & PENNOYER, (Inc.)
1161-1173 Broadway 467-469 Fourteenth

HOT WAVE STILL CONTINUES

Death Rate in New York Last Week Was Double the Usual Number.

WANTS TO LEASE A LARGE TRACT OF LAND.

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NEWS NOTES FROM THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Mary Ziegler has obtained a decree against Mary Schmidt quieting title to a half interest in property on East Eighteenth street, near Eighth avenue.

Sheriff Oscar L. Rogers has filed a statement showing that his fees for the last six months amount to \$443.80.

A. C. Vandervoort, as Notary Public, has collected \$27.15 in fees during the last six months. D. M. Conner collected \$28.50 during the same period.

Visit of Railroad Officials.

J. M. Herbert, who has succeeded Jerome A. Fillmore as manager of the Pacific system of the Southern Pacific Railroad, has been making a tour of inspection.

Probate Notice.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Alexander Pelletreau, deceased.

Notice of Time Set for Proving Will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Alexander Pelletreau, deceased, and for the issuance to Alexander Pelletreau of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Friday, the 26th day of July, A. D. 1901, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated July 13th, 1901.

By D. A. Binkley, Deputy Clerk.

CHAPMAN & CLIFF, Attorneys for Petitioner, 908 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

Too Late for Classification

A NUMBER of agents wanted in Alameda county to sell or popular new books; liberal terms; pleasant, profitable employment. Address promptly, General Agency, W. W. and R. Co., 723 Market st., San Francisco.

FOUND—Sixth and Broadway, lady's purse; owner can have same by proving property and paying for ad. 319 Eleventh st., 7 p. m.

STAYED! Girl wishes a place in respectable private family; good cook; no objection to short distance in country; references. Apply 1706 Grove st. h

\$12.50 per month pays for a modern home; 3 rooms; high basement; 32x125; small barn; in lovely climate; 10 minutes ride to train; price \$400; small payment down. HERON & HOLCOMB, 1060 Broadway, Oakland.

SATURDAY, seal fur cape, between 16th street station and 10th and Clay sts.; reward, 1500 Mozart st., Alameda.

NEARLY new ladies' bicycle cheap; 250 12th st.

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MARRIED.

BURMESTER-HESE—In this city, July 10th, at Zion's German Evangelical Lutheran Church, by the Rev. J. H. Theiss, Henry D. Burmester and Erna Hesse.

DIED.

HEALEY—In Oakland, July 12th, 1901, Margaret, beloved wife of Patrick Healey and sister of Patrick Healey, Mrs. Mark Healey and John O'Donnell, a native of County Galway, Ireland, aged 63 years.

CREMATION.

The Odd Fellows' Cemetery, San Francisco. It has expended nearly \$200,000 on buildings, plant and grounds. Has five furnaces. A body is cremated without contact with flame. Every part reduced to ashes by intense heat.

It has no stock nor stockholders. It does not divide profits. It aims to make its receipts equal expenditures. All profits are expended on the care of its property and the betterment of its work.

Prices for cremation are: Infants under ten, \$10; ten to fifteen, \$15; members of societies and associations and their families, \$20; all others, \$35; which prices include a copper receptacle for the ashes, and the use of the chapel and organ.

As soon as business permits, charges will be reduced. A proposition to lower the cost of cremation to \$20 is under consideration. A special arrangement is now being perfected so that a body sent from any place in the State of California will be cremated at a total expense not to exceed the above rates.

And all this is NOT FOR THE ACCUMULATION OF PROFIT, but in the promotion of funerals, reform and the benefit of the widow and orphan. If necessary for the cause, we will place agents in Oakland, Alameda and Santa Jose, to carry on our work.

GEORGE R. FLETCHER, Manager.

Sacramento Cremation Association

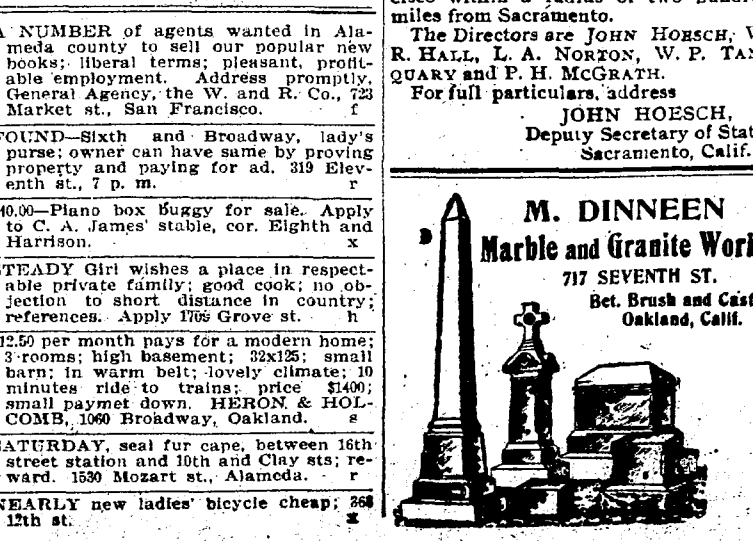
A CORPORATION proposes to erect a Crematory in the city of Sacramento. We propose to make our charges so low that we hope to conduct all cremations outside of San Francisco within a radius of two hundred miles from Sacramento.

The Directors are JOHN HOESCH, W. R. HALL, L. A. NORTON, W. P. TANGUARD and F. H. MCGRATH.

For full particulars, address: JOHN HOESCH, Deputy Secretary of State, Sacramento, Calif.

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The Churches.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, at Loring Hall, Sunday, at 11 A. M.—Subject: "Life." Evening service at 7:45 P. M. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 P. M.

Second Church of Christ, Scientist, Cameron Hall, southeast corner Thirteenth avenue and East Sixteenth street—11 A. M.: Christian Science Bible lesson. Subject: "Life." Sunday school at same hour. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 P. M. All are cordially invited.

First Christian Church, West near Twelfth. Frank Abram Powell, pastor—Morning theme: "The Calling of the Gentiles." Evening: "God Is Love."

Brooklyn Presbyterian Church—Rev. J. S. Thomas of Howard Presbyterian Church of San Francisco will preach during the month of July.

Gospel Tent, Broadway, near Fourteenth—Services at 3:15 and 7:30 P. M. Mr. J. M. Donald. Subject: "The Course of Time."

First Congregational Church, Rev. Chas. R. Brown, pastor—Morning: "The Choice of Life." Evening: "The Life Work of Professor Le Conte."

Union Street Presbyterian Church, Dwight E. Potter, pastor—11 A. M.: Sermon by Rev. D. M. Stearns of Philadelphia. Evening, evangelistic service.

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, corner Ninth and Cypress streets, West Oakland. Rev. J. A. O'Meara, rector; A. L. Scott-Brook, organist and choir director—Sunday school at 9:45 A. M.; litany, sermon and holy communion at 11 o'clock; evening prayer and sermon at 7:45. Pew seats free. All are cordially invited.

First Presbyterian Church—Rev. Ernest E. Baker, pastor. Rev. James S. McDonald assistant. Public worship with sermon, 11 a. m. Subject: "The Divine Investment in Humanity." Pastor's Bible Class, 12:30 p. m. Quiz and book study of Luke. People's service, 7:30 p. m. Subject: "Bible Palmistry."

Chester street Methodist—Rev. Monroe H. Alexander, pastor. 11 a. m. Rev. George B. Smyth, D. D., Assistant Secretary of the Missionary Society and for seventeen years president of the Anglo-Chinese College in Fochow, will preach, 7:30 p. m. Sermon by the pastor. Topic: "Making the Most of One's Self."

Golden Gate Baptist Church—Rev. S. R. Stephens, A. E. pastor. Morning subject: "The Enthroned Christian."

PURSE OF GOLD FOR FILLMORE.

EMPLOYEES OF THE RAILROAD EXPECT TO RAISE \$50,000 FOR POPULAR MANAGER.

OAKLAND, Cal., July 13.—A movement had its birth here today among the employees of the Southern Pacific Railway Company to give a substantial testimonial of their esteem and respect to J. A. Fillmore, the late general manager of the Southern Pacific. After numerous consultations among the Southern Pacific employees, it was decided to make the testimonial in the shape of a purse of gold coin, and having thus decided, the work of collecting the fund was begun. Yesterday a circular letter was printed and one of these will be sent to each employee of the road. It is expected that a purse of \$50,000 will be raised and this would seem to be an easy undertaking, as it is said there are 25,000 employees connected with the system. The testimonial is in response to the feeling of great friendship which all the employees of the system have for Mr. Fillmore, the men saying that his treatment of them has always during his thirty-one years as a Southern Pacific official been extremely liberal and considerate. The plan has been enthusiastically received in Golden Gate and the men say they will make it a complete success.

WIFE SECURES A DECREE OF DIVORCE.

Judge Melvin has granted Janie D. Durand a decree of divorce from Gilbert E. Durand on the ground of desertion and willful neglect. She was awarded the custody of their minor child and was permitted to resume her maiden name of Carter. The couple were married at Mount Idaho, Idaho, on June 9, 1898. Durand left his wife on October 25, 1899. Fred L. Button was Mrs. Durand's friend.

Summons to Answer.

William H. Knight, as administrator of the estate of Harriet P. Hayes, deceased, has been summoned to answer the suit brought by the Mutual Savings Bank of San Francisco to foreclose a mortgage of \$1,000 on property on Seventh avenue, near East Twenty-first street.

REAL ESTATE IS ON THE MOVE.

Best July Season Reported in Oakland For Many Years.

Although July is considered one of the dull months of the year in the real estate business all the firms report a steady trade, especially among the small purchasers, and there are a number of big deals on hand.

"We are negotiating a number of important deals," said F. J. Woodward of the W. J. Dingee Company, "but they have not yet been closed. Generally speaking, the business is good, better than it has been in July for years."

W. J. Layman stated that the month was proving an exceedingly busy one.

"We are making a number of small sales and that proves that the people are generally in a prosperous condition," said H. Men who are able to make deals and have money collateral, but the man who makes, say a \$500 purchase, must be in a prosperous condition to do so. It shows that the people have confidence in the future and in a satisfactory frame of mind. We also have a couple of \$10,000 sales which are about to be closed.

"Another indication of prosperity is the way houses are being rented. The demand at present is greater than the supply."

"July is proving a good month both for sales and for house renting," said Robert Jackson of the Macdonald Company. "In fact, this is one of the best summers for the real estate business I have seen in Oakland. I have never seen so many demands for houses and every office seems to be similarly situated. A fairly good house in almost any location will rent at once."

The real estate firm of George W. Austin & Company, 1008 Broadway, reports business very lively and the demand for moderate priced homes is very large.

This firm reports the following sales with a number of other deals pending, and which will be closed up at a later date.

Lot 100 x 100 feet, north side of Thirty-third street between Market and West street for D. F. Oliver to Helen A. Stewart for \$1,500.

Lot 70 x 30, Northwest corner of Delia Kreyenhausen to George Whitaker for \$1,000.

Lot 30 x 150, west side of Laval street north of Miranda street for Katherine M. Heaney to Owen H. Philbrick for \$250.

Lot 32 x 117 on northwest corner of Broadway and Grove streets for J. H. Simpson to William Cogan for \$1,500.

FREEDOM'S FLAG.

(Written for the "Tribune" by H. Christine Larkin, a teacher in the Lincoln school.)

All hail, thou gift of "angel hands," In darkest days, "to valor given." Lead now, as then, where Duty points, Though draped in black, the vault of heaven.

What virtue ours to love this flag, Which drew from o'er the pathless ocean Defenders brave, from every land, Who pledged it their devotion?

Intrepid Jones, old Scotia's son, To Freedom's cause no stranger; First to the breeze that banner flung, From masthead of the "Ranger."

And Irish Barry—heart of oak, Upon his ship "Alliance," To George the Third, with that proud flag, Did signal forth defiance.

Montgomery raised o'er Quebec, With, "Forward, boys! Be this defended!" Then, pierced to death, mid shot and shell, His soul and it, to God-commended.

Famed Lafayette—dear Freedom's son, Left France and princely stations, To pledge his wealth, his life—his all, For Freedom's flag and nation.

John De Kalb, brave German knight, His life, indeed, gave for it, When, on Camden's blood-stained field, To freedom he'd restore it.

Count Pulaski, Poland's son, At Savannah's siege oft wrested, That proud banner from the foe, Eve to his heart, in death, he pressed it.

And noble sons of noble sires, Who call'd this land their nation, Not words alone addressed this flag, To prove their veneration.

Brave Lawrence, on the Chesapeake, His colors o'er him flying, Called, "Don't give up the ship, boys!" As wounded he lay dying.

Decatur, Perry, Bainbridge—all That banner guarded ever, And Stewart, brave old Ironsides, To it brooked insult, never.

O, proud banner, "twere too long," The story grand, of all the lovers; O'er each historic stripe and star, A hero's spirit hovers.

As sponsor for this nation grand, At its cradle thou wert waiting; As sponsor still for all its needs, Be thine a reverence unabating.

My prayer, bright flag, "No stain be thine, To mar thy radiant beauty; Wave, as of old, o'er the brave and true, Whose watchword still is Duty."

"Forever mayst thy mission be, From tyrant's thrallhold to release; Thy message to the nations o'er, 'God will to men, on Earth be peace.'"

—H. CHRISTINE LARKIN, Oakland, July 13, 1901.

Lien Filed.

P. H. Dunakin has filed a lien of \$10,387 on twenty-two acres of land in Brooklyn township owned by Ida B. and R. D. Winters.

What is Ovaritis?

A dull, throbbing pain, accompanied by a sense of tenderness and heat low down in the side, with an occasional shooting pain, indicates inflammation. On examination it will be found that the region of pain shows some swelling. This is the first stage of ovaritis, inflammation of the ovary. If the roof of your house leaks, my sister, you have it fixed at once; why not pay the same respect to your own body?

You need not, you ought not to let yourself go, when one of your own sex



holds out the helping hand to you, and will advise you without money and without price. Mrs. Pinkham's laboratory is at Lynn, Mass. Write a letter there telling all your symptoms and get the benefit of the greatest experience in treating female ills.

"I was suffering to such an extent from ovarian trouble that my physician thought an operation would be necessary."

"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound having been recommended to me, I decided to try it. After using several bottles I found that I was cured. My entire system was toned up, and I suffered no more with my ovaries."—Mrs. ANNA ASTON, Troy, Mo.

S. B. McLENNAN TO GO EAST.

Popular Street Superintendent Will Visit His Parents in Wisconsin.

S. B. McLennan, the well known and genial secretary of the Oakland, San Leandro and Hayward electric line, is about to indulge in a vacation which he will pass in the visit to the East. He will stop off at a number of large cities, both in going away and returning, and will study the advances made in the application of electricity as a motive power. The terminus of Mr. McLennan's journey, however, will be his old home in Beloit, Wis., where his parents, advanced in years but in the enjoyment of excellent health, reside upon one of the most productive farms in the vicinity.

The trip will occupy about three weeks. It will be the first absence from his post of duty which has occurred since Mr. McLennan became connected with the railroad company, which extends back to 1893. Mr. McLennan has resided in this vicinity for a number of years, and by his urbanity and ability has created for himself a host of friends of both a personal and professional character who wish him a pleasant journey and a safe return.

WAS PROMISED A DEED BY CAPTAIN WILLIAMS.

Judge Melvin has issued an order requiring Public Administrator B. C. Hawes to show cause next Monday why he should not, as administrator of the estate of the late Captain H. G. Williams, deliver to Charles Wilton Stone and L. Lazarus a quitclaim deed to a piece of property on Pine street near Hyde street, San Francisco.

In the petitions filed by Stone and Lazarus it is stated that on June 6 they visited Captain Williams at the Crellin Hotel and arranged with him to request his former wife, Sarah D. Williams of Boston, to execute a quitclaim deed to the property in question. A blank deed was sent to Mrs. Williams. She signed it and returned it by mail. In the meantime, on June 19, Captain Williams died. The letter containing the deed was taken possession of by Hawes, as administrator of the estate. Stone and Lazarus claim that the deed is their property, and they desire Hawes to deliver it to them.

FACES JURY ON A CHARGE OF BURGLARY.

The trial of Charles Wright, charged with burglary, was begun yesterday before a jury in Judge Melvin's court.

Wright was arrested by Policemen Cockerton and Anderson on April 25 as he and two companions were walking toward East Oakland. Wright had in his possession some shoes and other articles that were identified as having been stolen the night before from the store of E. Olson at Third and Jefferson streets. A small amount of money had also been taken from the till. As there was no evidence to hold Wright's companions, they were allowed to go.

When the jurors' names were called Edwin Whipple and Ferdinand Meyers did not answer. Judge Melvin issued bench warrants to bring them into court forthwith. Later they explained their absence and were excused.

Sued on Notes.

James F. Wiggins has commenced suit against Charles I. Swift and W. H. Davis to recover \$570 on promissory notes.

BOUGHT BEER AND IS JAILED.

Beat a Firm and Is Caught.

M. Kamrya, proprietor of the Oriental restaurant, a Japanese eating house on Eighth street, stands charged with a violation of the liquor license ordinance. License Inspector Nevell today swore out a warrant for the Japanese's arrest.

Let it not be supposed that Kamrya has been dispensing wines and liquors to his patrons of the lower crust of the financial world, for such is by no means the case, though he has been purchasing lager beer by the case.

Kamrya's alleged violation consists of enacting the roll of an agent between a local bottling firm and a local grocery firm that does deliver liquors.

The Japanese purchased eight dozen bottles of beer from Kirschner's, who it seems on account of some misunderstanding, will not deliver goods to this particular grocery.

Kamrya got the beer from the latter and thus became amenable to the strong arm of the law.

He is charged with buying, but was released on \$100 cash bail.

NOTED BIBLE SCHOLAR WILL TEACH HERE.

Dr. D. M. Stearns of Philadelphia will spend one Sunday in Oakland. He is a distinguished teacher of the English Bible and holds weekly select classes in New York, Brooklyn, Philadelphia, etc. He has crossed the continent to hold Bible conferences, and will preach in the morning at Union Street Church and in the evening at Park Congregational Church.

PAINTER IS BITTEN BY A VICIOUS DOG.

C. Orr, a painter residing at 715 Clay street, came to the Receiving Hospital to be treated for a wound on his hand inflicted by the teeth of a vicious dog.

When You Are Thirsty, Call at the Galindo Hotel bar, 411 Eighth street. Bouquet & Frame, proprietors.

For Sale Cheap.

Wind mill and 10,000 gallon tank, frame and pump. The whole is enclosed and is in first-class condition. Apply at 1500 Park street, corner Santa Clara avenue, Alameda.

Graphophones Rented.

With operator, \$1 per evening. Address Earle Warren, 202 Eighth st., Oakland.

Best Treasure Tables \$2.50.

One hundred of them at that price. Now is your chance. Our annual reduction sale for one month. Remember that E. C. CLYON sells furniture cheap. Immense stock. 410-412-414 Eleventh street, Oakland.

"Goo Goo Eyes."

You will cast at your neighbors if you patronize H. Schellhaas' furniture sale this week, Eleventh street, Oakland.

HAVE YOU need of male help? Need of female help? Need of a situation? Of a house? Or company? A store to keep? An office? Or house? Something for sale? Lost or found anything? Then put a 15c want adlet in THE TRIBUNE.

PRODUCE MARKET.

SPOT WHEAT—Shipping, 96½c; mill-lift, 95½c. **FEED**—Feed, 73½c for choice bright; 71½c for No. 1 and 67½c for No. 2 grades; brewing and malting grades, 75c; 82½c; Chevalier, 81c; 82½c; 84c; 85c; 86c; 87c; 88c; 89c; 90c; 91c; 92c; 93c; 94c; 95c; 96c; 97c; 98c; 99c; 100c; 101c; 102c; 103c; 104c; 105c; 106c; 107c; 108c; 109c; 110c; 111c; 112c; 113c; 114c; 115c; 116c; 117c; 118c; 119c; 120c; 121c; 122c; 123c; 124c; 125c; 126c; 127c; 128c; 129c; 130c; 131c; 132c; 133c; 134c; 135c; 136c; 137c; 138c; 139c; 140c; 141c; 142c; 143c; 144c; 145c; 146c; 147c; 148c; 149c; 150c; 151c; 152c; 153c; 154c; 155c; 156c; 157c; 158c; 159c; 160c; 161c; 162c; 163c; 164c; 165c; 166c; 167c; 168c; 169c; 170c; 171c; 172c; 173c; 174c; 175c; 176c; 177c; 178c; 179c; 180c; 181c; 182c; 183c; 184c; 185c; 186c; 187c; 188c; 189c; 190c; 191c; 192c; 193c; 194c; 195c; 196c; 197c; 198c; 199c; 200c; 201c; 202c; 203c; 204c; 205c; 206c; 207c; 208c; 209c; 210c; 211c; 212c; 213c; 214c; 215c; 216c; 217c; 218c; 219c; 220c; 221c; 222c; 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Growth of Oakland and Suburbs.	
Residents of—	1890
Oakland	48,682
Alameda	11,165
Berkeley	5,101
Fruitvale, etc.	3,108
Emeryville	228
	68,284

Population of Alameda County.	
In 1890	95,864
In 1899	130,197

AMUSEMENTS.

Dewey—"The Pay Train."
Alcazar—"The School for Scandal."
Tivoli—"Babies in the Wood."
Central—"Held by the Enemy."
Orpheum—"Yankee Doodle."
Columbia—"Under Two Flags."
Grand Opera House—"Secret Service."

Picnics at Shell Mound Park.

July 12—Loyal Orange Institution of California.
July 14-23—Third National Bundles Shooting Festival of North America.

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TIT FOR TAT.

The situation in which Cecil Rhodes and his associates find themselves after bringing about the South African war and losing the output of the mines in the Transvaal for three years—estimated at \$180,000,000—is certainly one that must set them thinking. They have lost a lot of money, have cost the British empire an immense amount and they have not got their mines back, nor are they likely to for some time; for the dear old government that they were so fond of when they were trying to get something from it has intimated that, as the war was all for the mine owners' benefit, the mines will have to pay the piper. It is proposed to make the companies yield up 10 per cent a year of their gross earnings to settle the claims for interest and principal of the debts contracted by England in trying to crush the Boers.

Of course the Uitlanders do not like the turn affairs have taken, but it seems to have struck not only the British public, but—which is a great deal more serious for the Rhodes people—the government as well, as a plan that has such singular and conspicuous merit that it should be adopted at once. And it looks as if that is just what is about to happen. Then the mine owners, who thought the 10 per cent dynamite tax of the Boers was a dreadful thing, loosely collected as it was, will have their books inspected by the crown officials, who cannot be bribed, and there is strong likelihood that they will wish they had not been so hasty when they started that war.

The old saying of "out of the frying pan into the fire" will be descriptive of their situation, but their punishment will be worse than burning, for it will mean that they will have to pay out some of that accumulated gold of which they have shown themselves to think more than they do of their own honor and souls.

The fact that the Columbia has beaten the Constitution and that it looks as if the Independence can out-mail them both should not be regarded as discouraging but with exactly the opposite sentiment. It shows that Uncle Sam has three good boats, any one of which is able to beat the best Sir Thomas Lipton can send over to this side.

The East is getting a second edition of its recent hot spell and the ice man nowadays is about the most popular individual in that part of the country. One hundred in the shade is about the average temperature and judging by the accounts of the humidity, even a Hamman bath would present a possible chance to cool off.

CALIFORNIA'S REPUBLICANISM.

That the country is at last rid of Bryanism was made manifest at the Democratic State convention in Ohio this week, when for the purpose of testing the sentiment of the delegates a resolution was introduced expressing confidence in the former party leader it was overwhelmingly defeated, not a single effort being made to champion the Nebraska's cause. Even though relieved of this incubus it is not likely, though, that the Democracy will be able to get its old grip upon the public favor, for Republican doctrines and Republican statesmen have brought such exceeding prosperity to the country that no one feels like exchanging the sure thing we now possess for the doubtful one offered by the Democracy, especially as in any event we would not be better off than we are now.

Especially is this true in California. Outside of a few officials in the counties none of the so-called followers of Thomas Jefferson has been entrusted by the people with a responsible position and the party has been singularly unsuccessful for many years. The cause of this local decadence is plain. In the early years of Statehood the Democrats were divided into what one of their own writers defined as the "chivalry" and the "shovelry," and the latter, composed of men of the North and of foreign extraction, uniformly did the voting, while the former took the offices. The most memorable performance of the party of the '50's was the swindle by which San Francisco's overflowed lands became private property. As all their efforts were devoted to putting California in line with the South, the chivalry received a set-back during the early days of the war, and Leland Stanford was elected Governor by the votes of loyal men of all parties. The Republican party remained in power until an unfortunate difference of opinion resulted in a split in the ranks, and even then the independents who were elected received the support of the best citizens. Since the election of Booth and Pacheco a Republican and Democratic administration has alternated, but the majority of Henry T. Gage announced the death of the Democracy, for it was a conclusive one.

The trouble with the Democratic party is that it stands for nothing except opposition. Not one in a thousand of its members understands what the principles of Jefferson were, and of those who do comprehend few believe in them. In State, as in National politics, the Democrats have waited for the Republicans to take the initiative and then have fought against all proposals so originated. In the Union the views of the tariff entertained by Cleveland and of coinage by Bryan, and all the clichés in that party, have been submitted to the people at different times and have received the stamp of emphatic disapproval. In State politics, with dozens of live issues to consider, they have indulged in generalities about the "resolution of 1798" and ill-defined and foolish howls about the corporations. The party has wrought its own undoing and its leaders have no one to blame but themselves for having lost public confidence and led Democracy into a slough of despond from which it cannot be extricated for many long years to come.

The Epworth League will hold the fort hereabouts all next week, and the elaborate preparations made for the reception and entertainment of the visitors are well advised, for no better opportunity could be presented for advertising the State. The Leaguers represent the most solid elements of citizenship, and if they speak well of us upon their return home they will do us more good than all the showy pamphlets and boom articles we can spread throughout the land. We don't get a chance like this very often, so we should take full advantage of the present opportunity.

INHALATION OF FUMES
NO EXCUSE FOR DRUNK.

Police Judge Smith decided this morning that it matters little by what means a person acquires that state of inebriety that will result eventually in landing such person in the Police Court dock on a charge of drunk.

Only a few weeks ago Judge Smith held that drunkenness resulting from the taking of whiskey for medicinal purposes was no excuse. But in the case of Sil Cropley, sentenced to pay a fine of \$8 or take the alternative of three days below, the court went further. Sil Cropley pleaded guilty to a drunk charge, but he pleaded in mitigation that he had been engaged in handling wine at a local wholesale house, and that the fumes went to his head and caused him to become intoxicated.

"The court would hardly presume that a man could get drunk without drinking some kind of liquor," ruled the court; "\$8 or three days."

Will Give a Lecture.

The renowned orator James M. Buckley lectures in Y. M. C. A. Auditorium on Monday evening, July 15. This is a great opportunity to hear a great man. Efforts are being made to increase the seating capacity of the auditorium to accommodate the people.

ALL SIGNS
WILL NOW
BE TAXED.

Mayor Barstow Says the Physicians and Lawyers Must Pay License.

Some of the Provisions of the Ordinance Will Be Tested in the Courts.

The ordinance which was recently passed by the Council and signed by the Mayor, and which is now about to be enforced, compelling every person who displays a business sign upon his house or other place to pay a license fee of \$3 per year, is the subject of much discussion among not only merchants, but professional men of all kinds who have also to make use of signs. There is not a doctor or attorney who is not obliged to put up a sign to denote his place of activity, although these signs do not mar the appearance of the streets as do the various projections and up-rights put out and up by merchants and manufacturers.

PROFESSIONAL OBJECTION.
Some of these professional men say it would be an outrage to charge them for hanging out a small piece of board or of metal containing their name and the number of their office. Attorneys, in some instances, say that they will pay the tax only when they are compelled to pay it.

UNCERTAINTY.
Aside from this fact, there is quite an amount of uncertainty as to how far the intent of the measure extends. Some people are under the impression that \$3 will be exacted for every sign displayed, and some merchants are deliberating as to what signboards they may dispense with in order to save expense.

OBSTRUCTIONS.
Another class of people are of opinion that the ordinance operates against only such signs which obstruct the sidewalks and which endanger life and limb by being placed on the top of buildings or which extend from the structures with a chance of falling upon and injuring passers by.

SIGNS INSIDE WINDOWS.
Still another class of people claim that the ordinance does not include signs which are on the inside of windows because such signs are within the lot line, on private property, and that they cannot legally be taxed.

MAYOR BARSTOW'S VIEWS.

Mayor Barstow was spoken to on the subject this morning and said: "A lady has just been to see me to ask if she has to pay a tax upon a sign which she has on the inside of her window. I told her that I thought the ordinance covered such a sign the same as it did a sign outside the house. The ordinance does not require a tax to be paid on every sign a man has on his place of business, but simply on tax for all the signs he has up. Of course it is a means of raising revenue. But why should not a doctor and a lawyer and other who hang out signs pay for it? They get fire and police protection. Of course, there is a question raised as to whether a sign inside a window may be taxed, but that is a matter which now will have to be settled by the courts. This is a means of raising necessary revenue for the city. It may make an administration unpopular but we will have to stand it."

WILL TEST THE ALAMEDA
LICENSE ORDINANCE.

The Alameda ordinance licensing vehicles is to be tested in the Superior Court. Two cases have been appealed from the Recorder's court of Alameda for that purpose. They are that of William Zabel, a butcher, arrested for delivering meat without having obtained a wagon license, and that of D. Rosenberg, arrested for delivering yeast and wrapping paper. Zabel was arrested on July 2 and Rosenberg on July 6. Each of the defendants was convicted and fined \$6. Statements on appeal to the Superior Court have been filed by Attorney W. F. Fry. He contends that the ordinance is void, and that the acts charged do not constitute public offenses. He also objects to the manner in which the complaints are drawn up.

WANTED EVERYTHING
READY FOR THE CEREMONY.

Word was telephoned to the County Clerk yesterday morning to have a Justice of the Peace ready at 4 o'clock to marry Esther Payles, aged 18 years, and Frederick J. A. Jones, aged 22 years, both of Sunol. The couple were to take the next train for this city.

Pears'

It is a wonderful soap that takes hold quick and does no harm.

No harm! It leaves the skin soft like a baby's; no alkali in it, nothing but soap. The harm is done by alkali. Still more harm is done by not washing. So, bad soap is better than none.

What is bad soap? Imperfect! 'e; the fat a a a not well balanced or not combined. What is good soap? Pears'.

All sorts of store sell it, especially druggists. All sorts of people use it.

W. W. FOOTE ON
VALLEY PLANS.

Commissioner Does Not Believe Lights Will Destroy the Beauty of Yosemite.

He Says Improvements Must Be Made to Make it Pleasant For Visitors.

The members of the Sierra Club have placed themselves on record as being opposed to the installation of an electric light plant in the Yosemite Valley. A communication has been sent by the club to the Yosemite Commissioners as a result of a meeting held in the Valley last Tuesday, and the protest will be discussed by the Commission when it meets next Monday in this city.

Attorney W. W. Foote, one of the Yosemite Commissioners, in discussing the proposed electric lighting plant for the Valley and the protest of the Sierra Club, said yesterday: "The Sierra Club is mistaken in thinking that the Commission intends to mar the beauty of the Valley. On the contrary, it desires to add to the scenic effects of nature's wonderland. A member of the club is quoted as saying that 'electric lights for the falls and domes would be to convert the valley into a midway piasance.'"

"The last Legislature appropriated \$25,000 for a pumping plant and an electric light system in the Valley. The two systems are absolutely needed. The hotel, houses and stores in the Valley are lighted at present by lamps and candles. There is danger of fire always present by the use of oil lamps. The plan to illuminate the falls is to use a powerful electric searchlight. We have never thought of placing arc lights in front of the falls or on the domes. The idea is absurd. In Europe many of the great falls are illuminated by electric searchlights and the effect of colored lights on the falling water and spray is artistic to a degree."

"Some of the gentlemen who are opposed to the lighting plant are probably of the opinion that a modern hotel in the Valley is a desecration of nature. I have even heard complaints made against the telephone and telegraph wires that run into the Valley. If we did not have the telephone and telegraph in the Valley other people would complain at being cut off from the outer world. Complaints are being made of the dusty condition of the roads, while there is a general demand for a system of electric lighting in the Valley. For that reason we propose to install a pumping and electric lighting plant. Plans and specifications have been drawn, and the Commission will meet next Monday at 1 p. m. in the office of the Club Speeches Building to pass upon the matter."

"The Commission will be pleased if the members of the Sierra Club will be present and give us their views on the matter. We will install the plant and have a searchlight to illuminate the falls at night we think it would add to the many charming scenic effects to be found in the Yosemite. It is only natural that opinions should differ on the question, and for that reason the Commission desires to have some of the Sierra Club members present at its meeting next Monday."

"The electric light service would be sold to the hotel, camps, and houses situated in the Valley, and the plant would be self-supporting. Some people have suggested that an electric road be operated in the Valley, but the Commission is opposed to that. In order to make the Yosemite attractive to the public we must furnish a certain amount of comfort to visitors. To mountain climbers and those who 'rough it' modern hotels and inns are looked upon as a nuisance. If the Yosemite is to be made attractive we must have certain improvements. Personally I yield to no one in my love and admiration for the beauties of the Yosemite, and I think that the effect of an electric searchlight on the falls and domes would mar the beauty and never to be forgotten views to visitors."

HE OWED MONEY
AND TOOK HIS LIFE.

Despondent over family troubles and with numerous debts hanging over him without the wherewith to pay them, Marion Francis, who for several years had been a tenant on the San Pablo avenue, Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock placed the barrel of his revolver in his mouth and fired a bullet through his brain.

During the day he had complained bitterly of lack of funds wherewith to pay a \$10 bill that had just fallen due, and he had threatened to end his life because of his inability to pay this debt and another debt of \$40.

Francis was a native of Pennsylvania, aged about 40 years. He had a wife living at Spokane Falls, but the couple have been living apart for over a year. He had one son, who about a month ago was killed in an explosion. The son's life was insured for \$500, but the dead father had himself always kept up the policy. When the insurance company settled, however, the premium money was paid over to the mother, and this, so those say who were closest to the female man, nearly broke the latter's heart.

The report of the pistol yesterday attracted a throng of neighbors, who found Francis lying in a pool of blood in the yard at the rear of his home, apparently having shot himself in the chest.

The remains were removed to the morgue and an inquest will be held.

WILL GET MONEY FROM
GRANDFATHER'S ESTATE.

Caroline Schilde has applied for the guardianship of the persons and estates of Emma W. and Laura Schilde, minors. Their estates consist of \$238 due them from the estate of their grandfather, Henry Schilde.

DR. McLEAN HAS TAKEN
A HOME IN BERKELEY.

Rev. Dr. J. K. McLean of the Pacific Theological Seminary, which has been moved to Berkeley, has taken up his residence at 261 Durant avenue, in the college town.

MEETINGS OF
ENDAVORERS.

Many Reports Are Made to the Chairman of the Press Committee.

Communications for this column should be sent to Miss May E. Cruff, 1132 East Nineteenth street, Oakland, Cal., not later than Thursday morning.

Press correspondents please take notice of the above and send all items to the address given and not to 429 Montgomery street, San Francisco, or 908 Sixteenth street, Oakland, but only to address above, and also notice the time which they must reach that address.

Next Monday evening at the Y. M. C. A. Building, Oakland, the Executive Committee meeting will be held. This will be an important meeting and as many as can should attend. Mr. Rogers will tender his resignation as president of the union at this time. This is a very important matter, and many should be present to take it up. Don't stay home, but come.

The Berkeley Union tendered a reception to State officers who are fortunate enough to live in Alameda county at Park Congregational Church, Berkeley, on Tuesday evening last. The Park Congregational Endeavorers had the pretty church tastefully decorated, and A. T. Sutherland, the director of the choir, had special music prepared. The baritone and contralto solos were especially fine. The State treasurer, E. C. Lyon, gave reminiscences of the trip to Santa Ana which delighted those who had shared them, and made envious those who had remained at home. For the first time in his history George P. Lowell did not respond to his name, and the audience was disappointed, but forgave him because they realized it would take months for him to recuperate from the requests for "a lower berth in the middle of the car, please."

Mr. Sara E. Wise was visiting in her earnest talk of the influence of the "Quiet Hour" on the convention at Santa Ana and of those who have found this quiet time a help. We are glad that she again to take the State superintendency of this department.

Mrs. A. H. Scudder gave a few points on "A Woman's Impression of the Convention," her first being the strength the Endeavor movement is gaining by having the old, middle aged and the young in the work, which she said was distinctly a young people's movement.

Mr. Marshall Black of Palo Alto, who is State superintendent of intermediate work, was all too brief in his remarks, for his work is so important that a full knowledge of it is necessary.

President Rogers was inspiring and fervent, as usual, and the union is not only proud of him, but happy that the State Union has recognized his consecrated abilities.

The social time after the program was enjoyable, and the visitors had an opportunity to see the "Fruitade" provided by the Park Church Endeavorers was as good as that which made the thirty conventions so grateful that they were June days as they drove into Tustin, Orange county.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Pilgrim Congregational Church C. E. Society was held Tuesday evening, July 9, at the home of Miss Effie Merrill, the newly elected president, Mr. W. S. Sellander presiding.

Members of the Social Committee had transformed an ordinary back yard into a cozy parlor, with easy chairs, hammocks and tables for the comfort of the guests. Overhead among the trees numerous colored Chinese lanterns cast a bewitching glow over the merry faces of the young people; beyond, in the blue, the stars shone peacefully while the business incident to a C. E. Society was transacted.

The desirability of having all reports written on a uniform paper had led to the adoption of a special paper by this society with the C. E. monogram and address of officers on it. The business meeting was well attended, a social time being enjoyed after the business of the evening was over.

The Social Committee of this same society, Pilgrim Congregational, sent out recently invitations for an "admit kindergarten" social.

The invitations were on green paper and one clever with the pencil drew at the top of each a line of children standing before their desks in the school, and each scholar arrived he was shown by a teacher where to put his hat and where to sit. Prof. Know-it-all of genial disposition, presided, using great tact in his management of unruly boys and girls, able to handle the assembly.

The first lesson was the important accomplishment of spelling backward. Not a very easy thing to do (things worth doing never are). The best speller received a reward of merit. For the second lesson all were seated at tables and each child was required to send sentences containing in it the school motto of the paper given them. This was for rapid thinking. Some of the scholars, becoming thirsty, the monitors were allowed to pass a pitcher of water (democratic, cake and lemon-ice).

A phonograph was played to refresh the tired brains of the pupils with sweet music while the inner "child" was being revived. After a pleasant recess, the school adjourned, declaring they were "wiser and happier 'children' for having had Prof. Know-it-all's instructions.

IT COST HIM TWENTY
TO COLLECT TEN DOLLARS.

It cost Joseph F. Fragerio \$20 to collect

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"Words fail to express what I suffered for three years, with cold chills, palpitation of heart, shortness of breath, and low spirits," writes Mrs. A. C. Jones, of Waterbury, Conn. "I could not sleep and really thought I would soon die. Had a peculiar roaring through my head all the time. Was so emaciated and weak I could not feed myself. My aunt induced me to try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, which I did, only to please her, and six bottles cured me. To-day am sound and well. During the illness I was sick I had five different physicians."

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lect a \$10 bill from H. C. Hunter. The two men met in front of the Pierce hardware store on Thursday afternoon, when Fragerio grabbed hold of Hunter and demanded his pay of \$10 for labor performed. He would not let Hunter go until the latter had "put up" \$10. Hunter paid reluctantly and then caused Fragerio's arrest on a charge of disturbing the peace.

In the Police Court today Fragerio pleaded guilty and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$20 or suffer ten days' imprisonment in the City Prison.

F. J. LEA SEEKS REST
IN THE HIGH SIERRAS.

F. J. Lea, the energetic and successful chairman of the regatta and afternoon celebration of the last Fourth of July is recovering from an attack of illness which he sustained on the afternoon of the Fourth. He intends to recuperate by means of a three weeks' outing in the Sierras in the vicinity of Dutch Flat. He will be accompanied by his wife on his trip.

HORSE NARROWLY AVOIDED
THE BANK WINDOWS.

Yesterday morning, about ten o'clock a horse attached to a light delivery wagon of the Grand Central Market ran away, starting on Washington street and speeding up a steep grade on the Tenth street. Several vehicles on the side of the street were narrowly missed by the wagon, which swayed from side to side. Reaching Broadway, the outfit turned north on the east side of the street. There it collided with a wagon of the Union French Laundry, driven by Charles Thiele, which was standing opposite the First National Bank. This collision sent the runaway horse from dashing into the plate-glass windows of the bank. The market horse was thrown in a heap on the curb, and was scratched in several places, but the wagon was not damaged.

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OKLAND PEOPLE SPENDING VACATION IN THE COUNTRY.

Mrs. M. E. Madigan and Miss Alice Adams of Oakland are visiting friends at Mayfield.

Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Keegan and daughter have returned from Pacific Grove.

Mrs. John Slavich, accompanied by daughters, Margaret and Olive are spending a few weeks at San Jose.

H. H. Bell sold his property in Vine Hill to parties from St. Paul. The hills will leave the latter part of the month for Oakland, where they will reside in the future.—Martinez Gazette.

The following Alameda county people registered at Camp Meeker during the last week:

From Berkeley: Prof. Chas. Rogers, Mrs. E. A. Mohrhardt, Carl A. Mohrhardt, Mrs. H. W. Wilder. From Oakland: Mrs. F. L. Gove, Mr. F. L. Gove, Arnold Bruner, Arthur Jackson, R. W. A. Jay, Miss Patricia Marks, Mrs. Fontebellama, Miss Mabel Dixon, Mrs. A. Chrestoffersen, Miss Lillie Chrestoffersen, Miss Mabel E. Hazeltine, Gretchen Nelle, Nelse, Rosa Langan, James Langan, Mrs. O. K. Jeffress and son, Miss Mabel Jeffress, M. V. Jeffress, George D. Bishop, Miss Camille Hiney, Miss W. I. Hazeltine and family.

From Alameda: Dr. L. T. Cranz, Mrs. E. R. Marriott and son, C. B. Sopp, Miss Julia Wright, Miss Ethel Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Phillips have returned from Trinity county.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith will spend the days at Cloverdale.

Mr. A. K. Crawford and family are at Camp Revere.

Mr. and Mrs. William Letts Oliver have returned from a driving trip through the Sierran mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Magee are at Lake Tahoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Baldwin have returned from the Sierras.

Mr. and Mrs. George Harrison have returned from Shasta Springs.

Mr. Maston has concluded a visit to Sonoma.

Miss Ethel Valentine is the guest of Mrs. J. H. Valentine in Sonoma county.

Miss Ethel Whitney is to become a sister of her sister, Mrs. Cunningham, in East.

The vacation of Mrs. Edwin and Miss Morrison at Sisco has come to a close.

Mr. Erma Shafter Howard, Mrs. May Shafter Howard and Mrs. E. B. Jerome are at Camp Revere.

Among the guests at Camp Summit in Yosemite are Dr. Vida Redington, Mrs. Lena Redington and Miss Bertha Redington.

George E. De Golla and son have returned home from a three weeks' outing.

Dr. D. D. Crowley and Mrs. E. G. Stone and family are passing pleasant hours at Capitola.

Mr. Arthur Crellin and daughters are spending Mrs. Lou Crellin near Pleasanton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Scott will pass their vacation on Russian river.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Mowley and Miss Dina Mowley are at Rowlandman.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Brown, Miss Florence Brown, Miss Carolyn Oliver and Mrs. Everts are registered at Highland Springs.

Among the guests at Ben Lomond is Miss Ella Anderson.

The following Oakland people have registered at Hotel Capitola recently: E. B. Stone, Mrs. E. B. Stone, H. W. Meek, Mrs. H. W. Meek, Miss Harriet Meek, Mrs. Dr. D. D. Crowley, two children and maid, Mrs. J. C. Palmer, J. W. Matthews.

Dimick not discharged at once? To this there are two possible answers, assuming that it is true that Dimick did these things—either the person who caught Dimick at these things was dishonest himself, or else Dimick knew too much about something that had occurred at the Mint to be put out of his job.

It is funny to hear the talk on the boats and trains.

"Well," said one commuter, "if So-and-So did not take the money, it was because he did not have the chance."

To which another replied: "You can never make me think he took it. I know him too well. He'd never stop with \$30,000."

And a third man who has just joined the group chimed in: "I believe it was taken by a syndicate. The great Mint-robbing Syndicate—Limited."

So you see Oakland is still holding her own in the scandals of the State. We do pretty well in these things, after all, and do not allow the name of our town to be out of people's mouths for THE MEDDLER.

HESSE-BUIMESTER.

The marriage of Miss Erma Hesse of this city and Henry B. Buimester of San Francisco took place last Thursday evening. Rev. J. H. Theiss of the German Lutheran Church officiated. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion.

The bride was gowned in white organdie and carried a bouquet of white roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Hesse, as maid of honor, gowned

Mrs. J. W. Matthews, C. Hart, wife and two children, Miss Gladys Meek, W. Har- old Meek, Mrs. A. J. Balston, Henry Kahn, Mrs. R. Kahn, A. E. Alexander, Mrs. A. E. Alexander, Jas. Agler, Mrs. Jas. Agler, Miss Agler, Max Marcuse, Mrs. Marcuse, F. G. Baker, Mrs. F. G. Baker, Mrs. L. Allender, Master Allen- der, R. Mott, Mrs. R. Mott, Miss Edith Mott, Mrs. C. Van Gulpen, Miss May Von Gulpen, Mrs. K. Hecman, Miss S. Kien- man, W. H. Rabe, Walter J. Wilson, D. J. Hallahan, C. Anderson, Durcin Mac- Coffie, Rev. W. C. Shaw, L. B. Morris, R. D. Harrigan, Carl R. Jones.

The following campers have returned to Berkeley after a two weeks' outing on the Russian river: Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Kelsey, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Blom, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kelsey, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cole, Mrs. H. C. Kelsey and Mrs. L. Goss and son.

H. C. Boyer and F. Shoo are registered at Bartlett Springs.

J. H. White of Alameda is registered at Bartlett Springs.

Miss Lella Leonard of Berkeley is registered at Bartlett Springs.

M. McMenamin of Petaluma has taken up his residence in this city.

Miss Florence Galvin has returned to her home in Santa Clara after visiting friends in this city. She was accompan- ied by Miss Irene Gallagher, who will be her guest.

C. W. Quimby, night clerk of the Re- vere House, Eureka, is on a visit to this city.

Miss Josie Barsow of this city is visit- ing Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Strong at Napa.

Mrs. Herta M. Muller and son of Napa are visiting friends here.

Mrs. A. Bornenburg and daughter have returned from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Leo of Napa.

Miss Kate Cassatt is visiting at Vacu- ville.

Miss Mertie Barnham is at Placer- ville.

Miss Florence Miller is the guest of Mrs. M. Donahue at Sonoma.

D. J. Cauty is in Visalia.

Miss Rose Winans of Petaluma is pass- ing two weeks here with friends.

Mrs. Strache and daughter have come back after a week passed in Petaluma.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lawcutt have re- turned from a visit of several days to Mr. and Mrs. Horstmeier in Napa.

Miss Annie Leinert is the guest of Miss Frankie Eustace of Napa.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Soberanes of Petalu- ma have been visiting friends here.

Miss Katie Canfield, who has been on a visit to relatives here, has returned to Petaluma.

T. T. Frickstadt recently attended the funeral of his brother in Madera, Cal- ifornia.

Mrs. J. P. Kelley has returned home from a sojourn with her niece, Mrs. H. D. Starr, at Lincoln, bringing Mrs. Starr's daughter with her.

Miss Josie Davis is the guest of Miss Edna McKee in Sacramento.

Misses Emma and Nellie Gross are so- journing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Root and family in Modesto.

Mrs. Byron Kutley is stopping with friends near Gold Run.

Captain C. E. Haven and Clarence Ha- ven of Santa Rosa are entertaining their mother and sister, Miss Mabelle Haven, from this city.

Miss Eugenia Baker is at the home of Miss Gertrude Houser in Folsom.

The Benicia Herald says: "Miss Brown of Oakland is in town, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. R. Brown. Miss Brown is one of Oakland's quite prominent sing- ers. She sang a solo in the Congrega- tional Church choir Sunday and has kind- ly sang also at the literary exercises at the City Hall July 4."

In pink organdie and carrying a bou- quet of bridesmaid roses. The four Miss Minnie Christen, Miss Mena Nel- son, Miss Lena Hennings, were gowned alike in white organdie and carried bouquets of pink carnations. Two little girls, Pearl Scheuter and Elsie Hesse, were attired in white lace over pink organdie, and carried baskets of white flowers. Henry Katten- horn of San Francisco attended the groom as best man, while William Finkley, Arthur Morgenstern, Bern- ard Brunl and Henry Felton were the ushers.

After the ceremony had been performed a reception took place at the home of the bride's parents at 467 Twenty-second street. The elaborate wedding supper was served in a large tent erected in the garden, which was prettily decorated with flowers and lanterns. An orchestra played during the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Burm- ester departed later for a wedding journey and in a fortnight will take possession of their new home on Bu- chanan street, San Francisco.

PRETTY DINNER.

A very pretty dinner was given re- cently at "Blink Bonnie," the Linda Vista home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Mac- gonald. The dinner was in honor of Mrs. Norman Lang of Portland, Ore- gon, and the dinner guests were Mrs. Lang, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Mc- Near, Jr., Miss Nellie Chabot, Mr. Geo. Lewis and Franklin Brooks of San Francisco.

EAST AND WEST TO WED.

The engagement and prospec- tive marriage of Miss Ellen A. Cashman, daughter of Mrs. Mary Cashman of 1804 Central avenue, Ala- meda, has been announced.

The groom is to be Morrison Bar- clay, a member of the Barclay Bank

of Greensburg, Pa. Mr. Barclay will reach here Tuesday next to claim his bride. The wedding will be a home af- fair. Miss Madeline Cashman, sister of the bride, will be the maid of honor. Dr. Hugh Jamison, who is accompan- ying Mr. Barclay to the coast, will be the best man. The young couple will spend their honeymoon in the East, travelling and visiting until they ar- rive at the home of the groom-elect, where they will reside in future.

Miss Cashman is a favorite in local society and Alameda has been her home for a number of years. She was the youngest member of the class of '95 of the State University and gradu- ated with high honors. She took the leading part in the junior farce of her class, its title being "Tables Turned." Mr. Barclay has spent a good deal of his time visiting on this coast and is well known. He is a graduate of the class of '95 of Princeton University. Since his graduation he has been as- sociated with his brothers in the Bar- clay Bank.

LUNING'S MODEL CAMP.

Probably the best equipped sum- mer camp in the State is that of Camp Luning, which is situated on Sulphur creek, on the Geyser road, about seven miles from Cloverdale. This camp, which is presided over by Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Luning, the well known so- ciety people of this city, is a realiza- tion of "all the comforts of home." There are nine large tents, floored and lighted by electricity, supplied from a private dynamo. The largest tent is used as a dining apartment. A long distance telephone is in the room and on the table is an electric fan, which tends to keep the place in a comfortable temperature. The creek has been dammed up near the camp, thereby forming an excellent bathing place. This is the fourth season Mr. Luning and party have spent at this place. He extends a cordial invitation to any of his friends who chance to be up that way to sojourn with him.

Mr. Luning's son, who is a student at one of the Eastern colleges, is with the party this season.

GOLFERS' LUNCH.

On the Fourth of July a most pleas- ant day was spent at the beautiful grounds of the Golf Club, where games were played and social converse was enjoyed. The Whites were vanguish- ed by the Blues, the latter being cap- tained by P. E. Bowles and the former by Orestes Pierce. The defeated team were hosts at a luncheon which was attended by Mr. and Mrs. George Greenwood, Mr. and Mrs. Edson Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood, Mr. and Mrs. George W. McNear, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Orestes Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Bowles, Captain and Mrs. Minor Goodall, the Misses Goodall, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Knowles, the Misses Flo- rence Dunham, Ida Bell Farmer, Etha- beth McNear, the Misses Sherwood, Amy McKee, Hon. Robert Fitzgerald, George Wheaton, Ernest Folger, Mr. Higgins, W. H. Kales, W. H. Harris, Charles Parcells, Wm. H. Taylor, Sam Bell McKee, Charles Hubbard and George W. McNear, Sr.

ALAMEDA ENGAGEMENT.

Announcement has just been made of the engagement of Miss Emma E. Moreal of Alameda and Herbert B. Blanding. The wedding is to take place in the fall.

The engagement has caused a great deal of interest in society circles here, as the young people are connected with the best families in Alameda. Miss Moreal is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Moreal of 1566 Pacific ave- nue. Her father is one of the best known and oldest established real es- tate dealers in the city. Herbert Blanding is the only son of Capitalist E. J. Blanding, one of the earliest resi- dents of Alameda. He is a member of Halcyon Farlor, Native Sons of the Golden West, and has many friends, who will congratulate him on his good fortune.

YOUTHS MARRY IN SECRET.

Miss Hazel Stedman and George Burkhardt of Alameda, each about 18 years of age, were married on the 8th of last March in San Rafael. Bride and groom kept the marriage a secret until a few days ago, because after the marriage husband and wife went to their respective homes. Mr. Burk- hardt's parents reside at 115 Mount street, Alameda, and those of Mrs. Burkhardt reside on Park avenue. Mr. Burkhardt's father has sent him to a ranch in Yolo county, where the young man will be kept until the University of California opens, when his father insists he will enter upon a course there. While her husband is in train- ing to fit himself for making a liveli- hood, Mrs. Burkhardt will make her home at the residence of her hus- band's parents.

COMING NUPTIALS.

Next Thursday the marriage of Miss E. Woolsey and Edwin D. Prouty will take place. It will be performed at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Woolsey of Woolsey Place, Berkeley. The bride-elect and groom became acquainted when Miss Woolsey was a student at the Uni- versity of California and the prospective groom was an instructor in the De- partment of Civil Engineering at the same place. Miss Woolsey graduated from the University in 1895. Mr. Prouty is engaged to the Southern Pacific Railroad Company as consult- ing engineer.

BRIDAL DAY APPROACHING.

The date set for the marriage of Miss Louella Everett and Everett Ames is July 17. The ceremony will be performed at St. John's Church and will take place in the afternoon. The church will be decorated by the girl friends of the bride. Miss Florence Edoffs will be maid of honor. The bridesmaids will be Miss Lally, Belle Carpenter, Alma Brown and Elsie Ames. The best man is to be John H. Ames, and the organist Wm. B. King.

AN ENGAGEMENT.

The engagement of Miss Mabel Bos- cow of this city and David Roberts of Mare Island is announced. Although residing at present in San Francisco, Miss Boscow is an Oakland girl, her father being William Boscow, manager

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of the Excelsior Redwood Company in this city. The bride to be is pretty and clever and a great favorite socially, a pleasing personality winning for her many friends. Miss Boscow was maid of honor at the recent wedding of Miss Blanche Lutz and Robert R. Fowler, District Attorney of Madera county. The groom-elect is a popular United States Government employe, holding a responsible position in the mechanical department of the navy yard at Mare Island. No date has yet been set for the wedding.

A QUIET WEDDING.

Miss Emma King and Fred C. Chap- man surprised their friends by getting married. The ceremony was per- formed by Judge James G. Quinn and immediately after the young couple left for a brief honeymoon journey. On their return they will live in Oakland. Mrs. Chapman is a native daughter and was educated in the public schools in this city. In social circles at the West End she is well known and prom- inent. Her husband is also well known in Oakland and has many friends.

AN ALAMEDA WEDDING.

Harry Transue, a well-known resi- dent of the West End, is to be married a week from tonight to Miss Sophia Frinck. The ceremony will take place at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. George E. Williams of 671 Railroad ave- nue, Alameda. Miss Florence Williams, a niece of the bride, will be bridesmaid, and Robert McMillan will attend the groom. Miss Frinck is a great favor- ite with the younger set in the West End and Transue is a popular member of Alameda Parlor of Native Sons.

HOME FROM TRIP.

Mr. and Mrs. John Watson Matthews have returned to their home, "The Ga- lies," Linda Vista Terrace, after a pleasant outing at Capitola. Mr. Mat- thews intends going to Lake and Mon- docino counties the last of the month on a deer hunt.

MARRIED AT HOME.

On the evening of July 6th S. E. Wood and Miss Helen D. Glanders were married at their own home, 870 Twenty-first street.

Town Talk.

"The Reading Habit" is the title of a very interesting editorial in today's "Town Talk." This weekly has taken a high stand of late as a literary standard, and its book reviews and editorials are quoted everywhere. The contents this week include Saunterer paragraphs about the Hills of Santa Cruz, Mary Scott Martin's wedding gifts, Dorothy Studebaker, Honolulu and Manila society, etc., etc. The story is a charming French farce, the sketches, verse, jocklets and depart- ments are all entertaining.

A Raging, Roaring Flood

Washed down a telegraph line which Chas. C. Ellis of Lisbon, Ia., had to re- pair. "Standing waist deep in icy water," he writes, "gave me a terrible cold and cough. It grew worse daily. Finally the best doctors here, Oakland, Napa, Elgin City and Omaha, said I had Consump- tion and could not live. Then I began using Dr. King's New Discovery and was whol- ly cured by six bottles." Postively sur- anteed for Coughs, Colds and all Throat and Lung troubles by Orsod Bros., cor- ner Seventh and Broadway. Price 50c.

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When you require the services of a first-class ladies' hair dresser see Mrs. Virginia Diehl at her parlors, 528 Fourteenth street. She also does manicuring and sells hair goods, cos- metics and perfumes. Phone 276 Pine.

Paper Plates for Camping.

To burn after using. E. C. Brown Paper House, 473 Tenth street, be- tween Broadway and Washington.

The Hotel Touraine

Is now under the management of Mrs. I. Richards, who has had over fifteen years' experience in this line, and she will make the Touraine Oakland's popu- lar hostelry, with a cuisine unsurpass- ed.

Mrs. A. L. Miller's hair dressing par- lors, 1219 Franklin st. Phone green 720.

Coblack Bros., the popular fresco painters, have joined forces with their brother and may now be found at L. M. Coblack & Bros., Inc., 40 Twelfth St., opposite Wells Fargo.

Miss Gage was the son which Mrs. George Hammer gave to her and to Miss Pauline Lohse when the engage- ments were first announced. The Misses Gage have entertained so much themselves and have been so generous to other affianced girls that they should certainly be honored guests at many functions between now and the 7th of August. But the time grows short and as yet there is nothing but talk in the air.

The Gages are making great prepara- tions for the wedding. There is to be a marquee on the lawn for the refresh- ments and the bridal table will be a round one, built about a big tree. Twenty-six people will be seated at the bride's table.

And now, having disposed of those important things, the marriages, I'd try to tell you about something else. Real- ly we oughtn't to begrudge the doc- uments plenty of notices of their wed- dings, for, as a general thing, it is the last you ever hear of them. I'm sure you all know among your own ac- quaintances some of those much-mar- ried young matrons. Well, the old idea was that a woman's name should never appear in public prints more than three times—when she was born, when she was married and when she died—and of these three, the only thing that she did herself, as you will note, was to die. And society is still built on that model.

The friends of Judge and Mrs. Cliff are congratulating them on the recov- ery of their eldest child, who is now out of danger. The child's life was des- perate for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott, whose lit- tle daughter, Adele, has been very ill, have gone to their camp at Healdsburg. The child's nurse accompanies them, though the small patient has recovered.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. MacDonald have been entertaining a good deal lately. Recently they gave a dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lang of Ore- gon. The other guests were Mr. and Mrs. George McNear Jr., Miss Nellie Chabot, Miss Amy McKee, George Le-

Mental Depression

is a frequent and natural result of physical weakness. Ill-health and buoyant spirits cannot dwell in the same body. One of the most distressing of ailments is stomach trouble, but thousands of dyspeptics might be spared their misery if they but profited by the experience of Mrs. Amelia Allen which is here given in her own words.



"For five and a half years I was afflicted with nervous dyspepsia, was compelled to diet myself rigidly and could scarcely keep anything on my stomach. Painful attacks of the heart set in and I soon became so thin and wasted that I was a mere shadow. I was treated by all the leading physicians in this section of the state, but without permanent benefit. I was so discouraged that I had no faith in any doctor or medicine.

"When a friend, Mrs. George Mott, recommended Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, I had no idea of receiving any benefit from them. I tried them, however, and to-day I am well, have regained my weight, and am strong and vigorous.

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(Signed) MRS. AMELIA ALLEN, Turin, N.Y.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of February, 1900.
A. C. MILLER, Justice of the Peace.

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SWITCHMAN HAS TURNED BURGLAR TO HAVE PICNIC.

Thomas Baylen Cleverly Captured by George Frazer of West Oakland.

George Frazer, who conducts a cigar store near Center street station, cleverly captured a burglar red handed last night, and is today the hero of West Oakland.

Frazer's cigar store is under the Railroad Hotel, conducted by Mrs. Jones, corner of Center and Seventh streets, and shortly after 9:30 o'clock last night he was attracted by the screams of Mrs. Jones and her two children overhead. Suddenly he heard heavy footsteps down the hall stairs, and running from behind his counter he saw a man hurrying from the entrance with several packages. He gave chase, caught the man and discovered that the latter had been burglarizing rooms in the Railroad Hotel. The bundles contained wearing apparel and other stolen articles, which Mrs. Jones explained had been purloined by the burglar, who was turned over to Police Officer Conroy.

At the city prison the alleged burglar gave his name as Thomas Baylen and his occupation as switchman.

In the Police Court this morning Baylen was arraigned for burglary and the preliminary hearing was set for next Tuesday.

ARGUS TALKS ABOUT REFINED YOUNG LADY.

In the staid OAKLAND TRIBUNE last night is an advertisement of a "refined young lady of 20, very wealthy," who "desires a true and affectionate husband; no triflers. Address P. O. drawer 332, Toronto Junction, Canada." Times are pretty good hereabout, and nearly everybody has a job who wants to work; but there may be some estrays who are willing to sacrifice themselves on the altar of love and luck. What we are going to be surprised about is that a Toronto refined young lady of 20, very wealthy, should be impelled to send her ad. away out here to our esteemed contemporary, even conceding the said advertising medium to be the best advertising medium, with one exception, on the right side of San Francisco bay.—Alameda Argus.

UNPAID DEBT HELD AGAINST SUICIDE FRANCIS.

Mrs. G. Jones, who has charge of the Junonia Hotel, in which place Marion Francis, the suicide, roomed, has refused to allow any of his clothes, left by him in his apartment, to be used in which to bury his remains because he owed her \$10. As a consequence, Francis will have to be buried in the blood-stained garments in which he committed suicide. Deputy Coroner Quellan yesterday asked Mrs. Jones for a suit of Francis' clothes but his request was denied. "You will have to go somewhere else for the garments you need," declared the obdurate landlady. "This man owed me money, and I am going to keep his clothes—yes, even if they are a dead man's apparel."

SUES FORMER CLERK FOR AN ACCOUNTING.

W. C. Moran, the Berkeley real estate dealer, has commenced suit against H. A. Johnson, his former clerk, for an accounting for moneys alleged to have been illegally appropriated. Moran asks judgment for \$190 alleged to have been misapplied, and for an accounting for various sums in other transactions aggregating \$465.

HAND INJURED AT EAGLE BOX FACTORY.

Thomas Cronin of 913 Chester street, aged 13 years, was treated for a cut on his finger received at the Eagle Box Factory.

PISTOL USED AS ARGUMENT.

Sunol Young Lady Becomes a Bride Under Rather Trying Circumstances.

Bridegroom Faced the Music and Marched in Front of the Gun.

A revolver and a determined mother-in-law were the means of hastening the marriage of Frederick J. A. Jones and Estlin Bayles yesterday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by Deputy County Assessor William N. Van der Mark, who is an ordained minister. The mother of the bride, Mrs. A. Bayles, stood by and watched the ceremony. Her hands were folded under a shawl and she carried a revolver. Jones is a friend in the employ of the Southern Pacific Company. The Bayles reside at Sunol. While visiting at the latter place Jones and Miss Bayles became engaged. Later their engagement was broken off. Then Mrs. Bayles took a part in the affair and demanded a reconciliation and a marriage.

A pistol was used to enforce her argument and Jones acceded to her request. Yesterday afternoon mother and daughter waited at the Hall of Records for the prospective groom. He arrived shortly after 4 o'clock and a license was secured. The ceremony was performed immediately afterward.

WILL OF HUGH TEVIS FILED FOR PROBATE.

The will of the late Hugh Tevis, who died at Yokohama recently, was filed in Salinas yesterday. It leaves all the property to the widow of the deceased, and his daughter, Alice Boalt Taylor, aged 9 years, a daughter by Tevis' first wife, who was a daughter of Judge Bonit. This daughter is now a resident of Oakland. The property is estimated to be worth \$2,000,000, exclusive of a home now being completed at Monterey, which was deeded to the bride now a widow before the journey to the Orient. By the provisions of the will a trust is created to manage and operate that part of the estate left the minor child until she reaches the age of 20.

OFFICER GILBERT IS ON DUTY AGAIN.

Police Officer H. L. Gilbert, while standing at the corner of Ninth and Broadway on the evening of July 4, was struck by the shaft of a wagon in which three young men were seated. The officer's ribs were broken and he was otherwise injured. Mr. Gilbert is now able to be on duty again. He requests that anybody who witnessed the accident send their names to the police station, as he desires witnesses in case he is permanently injured.

BRANDES WILL NOT APPEAL HIS CASE.

W. A. Brandes, who is under sentence of ten years for beating his 13-year-old daughter to death, has decided not to appeal his case. He is preparing to leave for Folsom and will waive the stay of execution of thirty days granted by Judge Ogden pending the taking of an appeal. By good behavior Brandes can reduce his time to six and one-half years.

SEEKS A SEPARATION FROM HER HUSBAND.

Ora B. Rising has commenced suit for a divorce from Franklin G. Rising on the ground of desertion. Rising is a mining man. He has been in the northern part of the State for some time. The couple were married about six years ago and have one child, the custody of which is asked by Mrs. Rising. Her attorney is F. S. Short.

BIRTHS REPORTED AT THE HEALTH OFFICE.

To Emil and Anna Gosh, 1276 Twenty-first avenue, July 6th; a daughter, Dr. H. E. Muller.

To Bernard and Kate Auer, 1056 Fifty-fourth street, June 29; a daughter; same physician.

WANTS DESCRIPTION CORRECTED IN DEED.

J. H. Simpson has commenced suit against the Central Land Company to correct an error in the description of a piece of property transferred. The property is at Brockhurst and Grove streets.

REV. PHELAN VISITING REV. FATHER McNALLY.

The Rev. James Phelan, pastor of St. John's Church in Kansas City, is the guest of the Rev. J. B. McNally, pastor of St. Patrick's Church at West Oakland. Dr. Phelan will remain here about ten days. He is an old schoolmate of Father McNally's.

FARMER AND WIFE MORTGAGE POTATOES.

A. J. and Mary E. Maciel have mortgaged a crop of potatoes on eight acres of land near Irvington to M. G. Mattos for \$100 for four months at 8 per cent.

THE MISSES CRAIG ARE HOME FROM VACATION.

The Misses Evelyn and Margery Craig have returned from their summer home, Craly Brae, at Inverness.

EDUCATORS ASK FOR MONEY.

City Board Cannot Find a Successor to Professor R. P. Gleason.

The City Board of Education is having great difficulty in securing a successor for Professor R. P. Gleason, who recently retired as head of the manual training department in what is now known as the Commercial and Polytechnic High School, formerly the Central High School. The position seems to be going begging.

The Board was very loth to part with Mr. Gleason, who has accepted a responsible position in the educational department and trade schools at Manila.

"There are very few men to be found on this coast in this particular line," said School Superintendent McClynn today, "and it looks as though we are going to have much trouble in securing an instructor for the manual training department. We may have to look for a successor for Prof. Gleason. Certain it is that we must secure one before the school opens. The position pays \$1,800 per annum, and it was supposed that there would be numerous applicants, but we have not heard from a single one."

The Finance Committee held a meeting last evening and decided that the estimate for the High School expenses this year shall be the same as last year.

WILLIAM JAUREZ'S BODY RECOVERED.

The bruised and partially decomposed body of William Jaurez, the young man who jumped off the forward deck of the ferry steamer Piedmont a week ago, was found floating in the bay near the California cannery at Emeryville last night.

The body was discovered by Frank Fowell and Robert Grosmyer, two employees at the cannery.

The remains were removed to the Morgue, and this morning several of Jaurez's friends called there and positively identified the body.

Jaurez was about 23 years of age. His father is a wealthy rancher in Napa county, and he has a brother living in San Francisco.

As to the reason that prompted his rash act, there is a wide difference of opinion. Some say it was the result of brooding over a disappointment in a love affair; others that he was heart broken over the death of his uncle recently, and still others declare that he had been in very poor health for a long time.

The inquest will be held this evening.

WRONG CHINESE WAS TAKEN INTO CUSTODY.

Ah Suey, a Chinese cook, was arrested yesterday afternoon by mistake for Ah Wing, who is charged with having stolen a satchel and purse containing \$15 from Mrs. Laura Dyer of 205 Bancroft way, Berkeley. Ah Suey was identified by the proprietor of an employment agency as the cook he had sent to Mrs. Dyer last Monday. It appears, however, that she hired another cook. Ah Suey was taken to the County Jail despite his protests and detained there until Mrs. Dyer came to identify him. She declared that the prisoner was not the cook that had been employed at her home and he was allowed his liberty.

MUST EXPLAIN FAILURE TO PAY WIFE ALIMONY.

Judge Melvin has issued a citation requiring Albert Byron to appear in court on August 6th and explain why he has not complied with the order of the court directing him to pay \$50 a month alimony to his former wife, Edith M. Byron.

Mrs. Byron was granted a decree of divorce on April 20, 1899, on the ground of extreme cruelty. Since that time she has received only \$34 from her former husband. The unpaid alimony now amounts to \$1,610. Byron is in business at Windsor, Sonoma county.

CONTRACTOR IS SUED FOR ALLEGED BALANCE.

The Antioch Lumber Company has commenced suit against James A. Waymire and his bondsmen, J. F. Kennedy and C. S. Holmes, to recover \$6,200.89, alleged to be due for lumber delivered in 1894 for the construction of a canal for the Turlock Irrigation District. Waymire had the contract for the work. The sum of \$1,360 has been paid on the claim.

ANOTHER BURGLAR IS BEHIND THE BARS.

John Goldsmith, who was wanted here on a charge of having burglarized Mr. Zink's room at the St. Anselmo House recently, was arrested last night in San Francisco by Detective Kyte, and lodged in the Oakland City Prison.

FOUR CHILDREN WILL INHERIT THE ESTATE.

The will of Alexander Pelletreau, who died July 7, has been filed for probate. The estate, valued at \$217.35, is left equally to three sons and a daughter, Gilbert, William and Alexander Pelletreau and Mrs. Josephine Norwan.

CONVENTION, SOCIETY OF ST. ISABELLE.

In annual convention the Portuguese Ladies' Society of Queen St. Isabelle will be called to order in the Church of St. Joseph at Eighth and Chestnut streets next Monday.

The feast of St. Isabelle will commence

tomorrow and the pastor of St. Joseph's, the Rev. Father De Campos, will celebrate solemn high mass. There will be special music by a selected choir.

Tomorrow evening Lodge No. 1 and 2, P. L. S. of St. L., will tender the visiting delegates a reception in Golden West Hall.

AN OAKLAND MAN

STRIKES GOLD MINE.

Deputy County Clerk George S. Pierce has returned from a three-weeks' vacation in Calaveras county. He reports that M. C. Rigney, formerly in the lumber business in this city, struck a rich gold mine at El Dorado and that he is negotiating for the sale of the mine to Boston capitalists for \$75,000. The mine is named "The Ritter." It is located about three miles from El Dorado.

Rigney was engaged in the lumber business in this city for several years. When the depression came about two and a half years ago he sold out and went on a prospecting trip. The Ritter mine is the result of his work. He has just completed the development work and established the fact that he has a rich body of ore. He estimates the value of the mine much in excess of the price offered, but owing to lack of funds to build a mill he is considering an acceptance of the offer.

During his stay at Mountain Ranch George Pierce met a number of Oakland people, among them J. S. White, who was interested in mines there, and George Durbeck. He says mining is very lively there.

SENATOR LODGE ARRIVES IN LONDON.

LONDON, July 13.—United States Senator Lodge has arrived in London, but will stay here only a few days, proceeding to Bavroth and returning here in September. In conversation the Senator said:

"This is purely a holiday trip. I do not intend to meet any English statesmen or to discuss any matters connected with foreign affairs. As regards the Nicaragua Canal, I suppose there will be a lot more talking before anything is done."

"The matter of the chairmanship of the Foreign Relations Committee is merely a matter of seniority. If Senator Frye retains his other chairmanship, then Senator Cullom will take the position. If he retains his other chairmanship I will be head of the Foreign Relations Committee. What Senators Frye and Cullom intend to do I do not yet know."

CASES TREATED AT RECEIVING HOSPITAL.

A. E. Frampton, a longshoreman residing at 771 Twenty-first street, had two toes broken this morning by having some lumber fall on them. He was treated at the Receiving Hospital.

P. F. Gillespie, a laborer residing at 685 Thirty-seventh street, was treated for a wound on his ankle inflicted with an adz.

DIVORCE GRANTED ON GROUND OF CRUELTY.

Annie Lamer has been granted a decree of divorce from Frank D. Lamer on the ground of extreme cruelty. She is also awarded the custody of the minor children and \$20 a month alimony.

J. PIERPONT MORGAN MAKES A PURCHASE.

VALPARAISO, Chili, July 13.—(Via Galveston)—J. Pierpont Morgan has bought the Chilean section of the Trans-Andean Railroad for ninety thousand pounds sterling.

TRANSFERS ALL HIS PERSONAL PROPERTY.

C. M. M. Verwoert has given Alfreda Verwoert a bill of sale of all his personal property for \$10.

PROPERTY ATTACHED TO SECURE A CLAIM.

P. F. Benson has attached a lot in the Peralta Homestead owned by Wm. H. Norton, to secure a claim for \$6,822.

PAT CROWE IS HEARD FROM AT JOHANNESBURG.

KANSAS CITY, July 13.—A special to the Star from St. Joseph says: A. W. Brewster, an attorney of this city, has received a draft for \$250 sent to him by "Pat" Crowe from Johannesburg, South Africa. The amount was sent to the lawyer to pay an attorney fee Crowe had been owing a number of years.

Crowe's name had been connected by allegation with the kidnapping in Omaha of the young son of Edward Cudahy, the packer, who paid a ransom of \$25,000 in gold to recover his boy. Several years ago Crowe was under arrest in St. Joseph on the charge of train robbery. He employed Brewster, who is a State Senator, to defend him. The charge was finally dismissed, as the case was not a strong one.

TWO LETTER CARRIERS HAVE BEEN APPOINTED.

Postmaster Friend has been authorized from Washington to increase the letter carrier force of this city by two members and to fill the complement of the force by the appointment, as carriers, of Eugene E. Meyer and Robert E. Mueller. These appointees were formerly substitute carriers at the postoffice in this city.

TRYING TO STARVE HIMSELF TO DEATH.

Walter Anderson was taken to the Receiving Hospital this afternoon on a charge of insanity because he has refused to eat food for a week. He also refuses to talk. He was arrested at a lodging house on Sixth street by Policeman Keefe. The man was so weak from starvation that he could hardly walk. He was released from an insane asylum about six months ago.

EIGHT YEARS FOR M'GLADE.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 13.—Peter McGlade, ex-clerk in the office of the Superintendent of Streets, was today sentenced by Judge Burnett of Santa Rosa, who sat in the case, to serve eight years in San Quentin.

There is another similar charge against McGlade yet to be tried.

GROOM WANTED CHANCE TO "SQUARE" MATTERS.

Frederick James A. Jones, who was married to Esther J. Bayles yesterday afternoon at the Court House, called around today looking for Deputy County Clerk Leslie R. McKillican. He camped on the steps of the Hall of Records before 7 o'clock this morning, waiting for McKillican to arrive. He told a number of people that he wanted to "square" things with McKillican for having given the facts of his marriage and the circumstances of his mother-in-law waiting for him with a revolver to the newspapers.

Shortly after 8 o'clock McKillican arrived. Jones approached, and commenced to berate the deputy for having given his marriage to the papers. McKillican, however, was not to be bulldozed. In a few sharp remarks he informed the belligerent groom that it would be healthier for him to keep a civil tongue.

He also told Jones that it was he himself who had succeeded in getting himself mixed up in a newspaper story on account of his having talked so much about the pistol his mother-in-law was carrying.

Jones finally cooled off and left the office.

WILL ALL HELP TO TIE UP THE ROAD.

READING, Pa., July 13.—The Grand Opera House was packed until after midnight by a meeting of striking Philadelphia and Reading Railway employees. The announcement was made that not only engineers of the Reading system but firemen, trainmen, linemen, repairmen, were with the men on strike. The trainmen, it was stated, will join in helping to tie up the road unless the company settles the strike at once.

THROUGH LINE TO THE PACIFIC COAST.

TOPEKA, Kas., July 13.—Arrangements have been made with the Rock Island Railroad to place a through train on their line from Chicago to the Pacific Coast. Service will be inaugurated September 15th with the completion of the Libera extension which will close the necessary gap. Only the finest Pullman coaches will be used with tri-weekly service. One feature is a run of 117 miles on track without a curve.

GOVERNOR ALLEN HAS SAILED FOR NEW YORK.

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, July 13.—Governor Allen and his wife, with their household effects, sailed for New York today on the Mayflower. A large crowd assembled at the wharf to bid the Governor farewell. Governor Allen admitted he had no intention of returning to Porto Rico. It is semi-officially announced that he will enter the Diplomatic service.

WILL MAKE ADDITION TO INSANE ASYLUM.

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., July 13.—The State Lunacy Commission accepted the plans of T. H. Goff last night for an addition to the State Hospital at Highland.

MARGARET'S SUPREMACY.

"You cannot yet play the piano as well as your big sister, little one," said Mr. Blank to little Stella.

"Oh, dear, no," she answered. "I can only play for three hours at a time, while Margaret can play all day without stopping."

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LARGE CROP OF APRICOTS IN COUNTRY.

Mt. Eden is Ready to Handle a Quantity of the Golden Fruit.

People in the County Want the Roads Kept in Good Condition.

MT. EDEN, July 13.—Apricot picking will commence next week and there will be a large crop, although the apricots are not as large as usual. The cause is attributed to the cold late spring, which retarded their growth. It was suddenly followed by hot weather, ripening them too rapidly. However, what they lack in size will be made up in quantity.

NOTES AND PERSONALS FROM PLEASANTON

PLEASANTON, July 13.—S. K. Tretry left this week with his string of horses, which belong to Mr. Chancey of Seattle. They left for Sacramento for the summer. Mr. Tretry's string of horses are the best that left Pleasanton race track this summer.

Henry Harms of San Jose is home on a visit this week.

Mr. N. Lund spent Friday in Livermore.

Miss Mimi Bilz spent Friday in Livermore.

Miss Lina Beckwith, Miss Fannie Hay and Miss Mae Leurs spent Wednesday afternoon at the Verona camp.

Miss Mimi and Selma Bilz drove to Hayward Thursday. From there they took the electric car and went to Oakland, returning in the evening.

Mr. G. Davis spent the latter part of the week in San Francisco.

Miss Carrie Hewlett and Archie Hewlett of East Oakland, formerly of Pleasanton, are visiting at the Davis ranch this week.

Miss Walker of Tassajara is visiting Mrs. Rathbone this week.

Miss Gene Johnson of Oakland is the guest of Mrs. J. Cruikshanks this week.

FIRE ON LIVERMORE RANCH DESTROYS HAY

ANTIOCH, July 13.—A fire on the ranch of Barry Brothers, in Livermore valley, Thursday afternoon burned 100 tons of baled hay belonging to Frank H. Johnson, and about seventy-five tons of hay in stacks. The fire started in a stubble field from some unknown cause, and about 200 acres of stubble was burned over. Twenty men fought hard and saved about 250 tons of hay in imminent danger. There is no insurance.

LIVERMORE TRUSTEES HAVE NOT MADE MOVE.

LIVERMORE, July 13.—The Town Trustees have not as yet made a move toward lighting the streets.

LOW RATES FOR COUNTRY FOLKS.

Many Livermore People Will Visit the Epworth League Headquarters.

Interesting Notes Gathered in the Capital of Murray Town ship.

LIVERMORE, July 13.—On account of the meeting of the Epworth League the railroad company will sell excursion tickets from Livermore to San Francisco and return at \$1.70 for the round trip. These tickets will be sold from Monday next, July 15th, up to and including all trains of Saturday, July 20th, and will be good to return on July 31st. A large number of Livermoreans besides the members of the Epworth League will make the trip.

PERSONAL NOTES FROM LIVERMORE.

LIVERMORE, July 13.—Herbert Seller is in San Francisco on a brief visit.

Mrs. J. A. Byrne and family of Vallejo are spending a few weeks on their mountain ranch.

D. J. Murphy, president of the Board of Town Trustees is confined to his bed with an aggravated case of mumps.

Miss Kate Byington of San Francisco is visiting Miss Leah McLeod.

Mrs. W. H. Byington and family of San Francisco have rented the Bock cottage and will spend the summer in Livermore.

Henry B. Wagoner and family left yesterday in their carriage for Capitola where they will spend a couple of weeks.

J. R. Barber, county Tax Collector was in town on Wednesday.

Miss Margaret McKee is passing a few weeks of her vacation at Capitola.

C. F. Mess and family are summering at Seabright on the beach near Santa Cruz.

George S. Fitzgerald is laid up with three mashed toes having been stepped on by a horse.

Miss Bessie Stanley of Oakland was a guest of Miss Lulu Aylward last week.

Mrs. C. W. Doyle of Hanford is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Clark.

Louis Aurecochoea of San Francisco, was in town yesterday looking after his land interests in this vicinity.

E. D. Murphy of San Francisco was in town yesterday.

SUNOL FARMER IS BURNED TO DEATH.

SUNOL, July 13.—Coroner Mohrman was notified last evening that John Tepee, a farmer residing about nine miles southwest of Sunol, had been burned while attempting to put out a fire which had started in his house, and that he died a few minutes after from the effects of the burns. The building was completely destroyed.

WILL INSTALL THE OFFICERS AT HAYWARDS.

HAYWARDS, July 13.—It has been announced that on the 17th of this month, D. G. P. Gentry of Oakland Parlor, Native Sons, will attend Eden Parlor's meeting and formally install their officers.

LOST FIFTY AT HAYWARDS.

Visitor From San Francisco Is Robbed in the Country.

While Taking a Nap in the Hills \$50 Is Lifted From His Purse.

HAYWARDS, July 13.—C. W. Archie of San Francisco came to this place, accompanied by Chris Christensen, and had a lively time. They took a stroll up Haywards Hill, where Archie lay down and fell asleep. When he came to his senses he was minus his pocket-book. He at once informed Marshal Ramage, who investigated the matter. Later Peter Johnson's boy found a pocket-book on the hill which belonged to Archie. In it was \$50, which Archie claims is \$50 less than what it should contain. Archie does not accuse any one.

NOTES OF INTEREST FROM HAYWARDS.

HAYWARDS, July 13.—Thursday evening, D. D. G. P. Charles Ruppert, with J. B. Rose as marshal, installed the officers of Piedmont Parlor of Native Sons in Oakland. Both young men are of this place and performed their duties in a manner which brought them no small amount of praise.

Early Thursday morning Frank Hoffman and R. Ried went fishing in the San Leandro Bay. Large promises were made to their many friends, but sad to relate when these two tired and hungry gentlemen arrived in town late Thursday night, they had but two perch to show, the bass having refused to bite.

C. P. Van Dyke is now in town again. He has been spending several weeks in the mountains.

The following party left today for San Pedro, where they will spend a week or ten days fishing: J. R. Rose, G. S. Langan, Dr. H. Powell, E. Rev. George Ludwig and Will Allen.

The tennis tournament which was to have commenced last week has been postponed on account of the poor condition of the court. There were two sets played, however, by R. Ried and Rev. A. E. Johnson, which will be thrown out and the entire match will be played over again.

Leroy Neudeck the boy who fell from a wagon some time ago and broke his collar bone is getting along nicely.

CHURCH SERVICES IN COLLEGE TOWN.

BERKELEY, July 13.—Services in the college town churches tomorrow will be as follows:

First Baptist.—Morning, "Thou Shalt Love the Lord Thy God"; evening, "Thy Neighbor as Thyself."

North Congregational.—Rev. W. H. Scudder will conduct the morning services. There will be no evening sermon.

First Congregational.—Rev. Forbes of Santa Ana will preach both morning and evening.

South Presbyterian.—Rev. H. H. Dobbins will preach in the morning on "The Beginnings of Things." The son of the pastor, Rev. H. T. Dobbins, will preach in the evening.

CHEATING U. C. OUT OF FEES.

Summer Students Put Up a Game to Beat the College.

Prof. Bacon Catches on to the Plan and Shuts Them Out of the Classes.

BERKELEY, July 13.—Several ingenious persons have escaped the payment of the \$10 fee, required at the University of California summer school, by taking a "visitors' course."

To put a end to this practice, Professor Thomas R. Bacon, dean of the summer school, has issued a notice which announces that all those who have not been regularly enrolled will be barred from attendance.

NOTES OF INTEREST ABOUT SAN LEANDRO PEOPLE.

SAN LEANDRO, July 13.—Mrs. Hilo Hough and Miss Louise De Lameret of San Jose are the guests of Mrs. Herger.

Miss Gertie Quinn leaves today to spend a few months' visit at Half Moon Bay with her aunt, Mrs. Geo. Gilcrest.

M. L. Donivan, Alonzo Ferreira and several others visited Redwood Canyon several days ago and secured considerable game.

Wm. Berovisch, formerly of this place and now residing in San Jose, was in town several days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. French of San Francisco have returned to their home in San Francisco after spending the week with Mrs. R. Mille of this place.

DR. JONES MAY TAKE A FRUITVALE BRIDE.

FRUITVALE, July 13.—It is said that Dr. P. C. Jones, formerly of this place and now residing at Fort Bragg, who is at present visiting friends in this place, is here for the purpose of taking away one of Fruitvale's most beautiful young society ladies.

Thursday morning Rev. Mowbray left for Guerneville, where he will stay until this evening, at which time the camp will break up and return home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dawson of Stockton and Mrs. Jones and daughter are visiting at the home of E. R. Dawson of this place. Mrs. Jones, who is Mrs. Dawson's sister, is from the East.

MINISTER THE GUEST AT SURPRISE PARTY.

MT. EDEN, July 13.—A surprise party was given at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. John Kuok last Thursday afternoon, in honor of the Rev. Paul Brankie, by the ladies of the Mt. Eden congregation. A very pleasant afternoon was spent by all present. Light refreshments were served in the handsomely decorated dining room. Rev. Brankie is pastor of the San Francisco German Lutheran Church and holds services once a month in Mt. Eden.

PROFESSOR AND WIFE ARRESTED AT BERKELEY.

BERKELEY, July 13.—Professor and Mrs. L. F. Chesebrough of 2327 Telegraph avenue, were arrested this morning by Deputy Marshal Alden for riding their wheels upon the sidewalks. They were released upon depositing \$2.50 cash bail each.

Professor Chesebrough is in the mechanical arts department of the University of California.

CONTRA COSTA AGENT AT SAN LEANDRO.

SAN LEANDRO, July 13.—Mr. Pocock, the newly appointed agent of the Contra Costa Water Company for San Leandro, Elmhurst, San Lorenzo and all this section as far as Alvarado, has located his office in the Herrscher cottage on Estudillo avenue. At present Mr. Pocock is kept quite busy adjusting the change in water rates which is taking place.

OVERHAULING WIRES IN THE LIVERMORE DISTRICT.

LIVERMORE, July 13.—The Western Union Telegraph Company has an outfit of three cars at the depot and a large gang of men overhauling their wires.

NAMED HER HUSBAND AS SOLE LEGATEE.

The olographic will of Mrs. Lillie H. Read, who died in Alameda July 6, has been filed for probate by her husband, George W. Read, who is named executor and sole legatee. The estate consists of a residence on Railroad avenue, two unimproved lots and some personal property, all of which are valued at \$4,650. Besides the husband the heirs are a daughter, Elizabeth H. Ham, and a brother, Joseph W. Haplinan.

WILL BUILD IN THE SHATTUCK TRACT.

L. W. Fess has let a contract to Kluder & McCullough for the construction of a dwelling in the Shattuck tract, Berkeley, at a cost of \$1,850.

Judgment Released.

Charles E. Russell has released a judgment of \$10 against Philip Meyer and the Livermore Gas Light Company.

CHARGES MADE TO TRUSTEES.

Books of the Electric Light Plant Are Said to Be in a Bad Condition.

Report Is Made to the Board by the Expert of the City.

ALAMEDA, July 13.—At a committee meeting of the City Trustees last night E. E. Roberts, appointed to expert, the books of the Electric Light Department, submitted an extended report. It showed that the affairs of the department were in bad shape. The books of T. H. Thompson, the collector, were shown to have been kept in what President Forderer declared was a "very careless and slipshod manner."

The accounts were said to be put in a collection book which was the simplest known, except a tally sheet, kept by cutting notches on a stick. Roberts submitted a statement showing the amounts due from each consumer, which will be used by the Trustees in making a further investigation. The report shows that while the amounts due the city from consumers two years ago were \$440, they now aggregate over \$2,400, an increase of \$2,000.

It was shown that Thompson was in the habit of mingling city funds with his individual cash, carrying over amounts varying from \$10 to \$50 a month, which should have been paid in to the City Treasurer at the time. Erasures in the cash book were freely made, with knife and liquid eraser. Of 200 pages in the cash book but three pages were found where the balances did not show arrearages. For over \$80 turned in to the City Treasurer there is no record in the collector's books.

The general cash book was badly kept, and December, 1900, was the last entry. The records of construction accounts were kept on ordinary note pads. Two of the pads covering two years lay lost, said in one the writing was illegible. Trustee Mackie was dissatisfied with the report and said that the books were not kept in a very careful manner, but pending investigation there was nothing to prove a shortage. Thompson was appointed collector about two years ago. He is a son of Captain H. A. Thompson of Encinal avenue.

NOTES AND PERSONALS GLEANED AT MT. EDEN.

MT. EDEN, July 13.—Mrs. G. O. Bowers of San Francisco is visiting with Mrs. Droste this week.

Mrs. Dickens of San Francisco, sister of Joe Koebler, proprietor of the Hotel Mt. Eden, returned home after a week's visit in Mt. Eden.

Miss Lena Schwable is visiting this week in San Francisco, returning with her two Koster sisters, who have been spending their vacation in Alameda.

G. J. Liguori and family last week moved to Redwood City where Mr. Liguori has a position as manager of the Redwood City salt works.

The Mt. Eden Sunday school will give a picnic next week for the benefit of the scholars. Niles Canova has been decided upon as the place to hold the picnic.

The new cottage being erected on the Gading ranch will be completed this week. It will be fitted with all the modern improvements and is nicely located.

MT. EDEN-PEOPLE ARE AFTER SPRINKLING CART.

MT. EDEN, July 13.—The people of Mt. Eden are still looking for the relief from the dust which has been promised in the shape of a sprinkling wagon for those roads which heretofore have never been sprinkled.

The road mawar was around about two months ago with an article of agreement to be signed by some of the land owners, donating land for the erection of tanks for the storage of water. This paper was exhibited to every person on evidence that something was going to be done to rid the place of dust, or lack of any visible effort to carry out these agreements has discouraged the people.

NEW HAY IS BEING SHIPPED FROM LIVERMORE.

LIVERMORE, July 13.—Many threshing machines and hay presses are at work in the Valley and new hay and grain will begin moving into the warehouse in large quantities next week. New hay is being shipped at the rate of 75 to 100 tons per day.

ALAMEDA WAGON LICENSE IS NOT A JUST ONE.

ALAMEDA, July 13.—Last evening the directors of the Board of Trade met and discussed several important matters. The wagon license was discussed. The Board thought that if the local merchants are compelled to pay a wagon license the Oakland merchants should do the same if they deliver goods in this city. But if the license is not just, no one should pay it, and they do not seem to be of the opinion that it is just.

THINKING OF BUILDING?

When you get ready to build a home for your family we would suggest that you secure all the latest conveniences in house fixtures, and in making your selections we would like to have a chance to assist you. In the line of builders' hardware we carry a complete stock, and our assortment of gas fixtures cannot fail to interest you. Then, when you want to furnish your kitchen don't forget that E. R. Tutt can supply everything from a strainer to a cook stove. The plumbing department is an important feature of our place at 511 Thirteenth street.

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It defies detection and is absolutely harmless, being compounded from perfectly pure vegetable substances, and beautifies at once. Wrinkles, tan, and freckles fade away like dew before the morning sun.

No matter how bad the condition of your skin or how deep the furrows, this ideal cream will give you the most perfect complexion you ever saw and yet be utterly invisible to the eye. It not only beautifies but preserves the skin, as it contains no grease or chemicals.

Ask your druggist or send 50c and we will mail it to you. Send 2c stamp for samples.

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PERSONAL NOTES FROM ALVARADO.

Items of Interest Gathered in a Growing and Flourishing Town.

ALVARADO, July 13.—Mr. and Mrs. William Jamison and son of San Francisco have come to Alvarado to spend the summer with Mrs. Jamison's mother, Mrs. H. Behrmann. Mr. Jamison will go to his business in San Francisco daily.

Mrs. A. De Piny and son, Ralph, have returned from a visit to Livermore.

Miss Dora Joyce has gone to San Francisco for a few days.

Miss Lizzie Jacobs is a visitor in town.

J. W. Atkinson, superintendent of the sugar mill at Beeteravia recently visited his wife and son, who are visiting Mrs. Atkinson's mother, Mrs. K. Ralph.

Mrs. A. Charvoz and infant son of San Francisco are here and will spend several weeks with her mother, Mrs. K. Ralph.

Charles R. Nauert is in Stockton. The Butterworth family returned to their home in San Francisco after a month's stay with the Richmonds.

Mrs. Lewis of Oakland and Mrs. Bailey of San Francisco have been visiting Mrs. Charles R. Nauert.

Manuel Roderiques of Santa Maria was a recent visitor in Alvarado.

Miss Nina Dyer and Miss Munson are at Madrone Springs.

J. V. Ralph has gone to Capitola, where he will remain until Sunday.

Misses Lillabelle and Mary Liston of Crockett are spending the week with the Nauert family.

Miss Emma Dellwig, a prominent Native Daughter of San Francisco was the guest of Mrs. E. Beebe several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Scribner and children spent Saturday and Sunday with her grand-mother, Mrs. McCormick of Centerville.

Miss Wales of Newark is in town.

Miss Frances Mathews of San Francisco is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Mathews.

The Whist Club met in the school house last evening.

Mrs. Philip Hewling entertained the Ladies' Aid Society Thursday.

Mogul Preservative Paint

Is absolutely acid proof, water proof, alkali proof and durable. All Wood & Bro.

The Hammam department for ladies and gentlemen at the Piedmont Baths

are the most elaborate and luxuriously fitted up of any this side of Chicago. Take Piedmont cars.

"Our Baker" Cook Stove.

New, regular price, \$27.50; our price, \$22.50. H. Schellhaas, Eleventh street, Oakland.

HAVE YOU need of male help?

Need of female help? Need of a situation? Of a house? Or rooms? A store to let? An office? Or a house? Something for sale? Lost or found anything? This out a 15c want ad in THE TRIBUNE.

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One of Many

Berkeley, July 6, 1901.

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For over three months we have been using your "Standard 100" Syrup, and we could not be induced to use any other. It is the richest Syrup and the most appetizing flavor that I have found in twenty years of housekeeping.

Please arrange so that I can get it direct from my grocer; address inclosed.

Yours very truly,

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How To Make Money Fast

NEW YORK—Money making is merely a matter of brains. The extent of the money making depends largely, of course, on the amount of capital employed, but any man of brains can accumulate wealth to some extent. If he's got a million or so, he can make millions; if his capital is only a few dollars he may increase it largely, provided he's got brains. There's the one great requisite, and there's plenty of instances that go to show how easy the road to wealth is when you once get headed the right way.

Take the case of Astrologist Smith of Binghamton, by way of illustration. The New York Sun had a story about him last Sunday that proves forcibly the truth of the assertion made in the opening sentence of this letter. In less than three years Mr. Smith has come from poverty and obscurity to comparative wealth and much prominence, and if his business keeps on as it has been going for the last few months there is no reason why in the course of a year or two more he shouldn't be able to retire from active business life.

He says that he considers it a bad day when the mails bring him in less than \$250 and no one who has seen the clothes baskets full of letters that are carried to his office each day will doubt the accuracy of his statement. The money which this factory takes in comes entirely through the mails and consists largely of 10-cent pieces, that bring the price set upon an ordinary fortune telling. Fancy fortune telling may be had for a trifle more, while for \$1 the seer makes an exhaustive research, and mails a detailed account of the results.

This part of the business is handled very shrewdly. It is not advertised at all, but to every 10-cent fortune return-

ed the seer adds a postscript in which he says in the greatest confidence that in knocking around among the future events in the client's life he has come across hints of many things of the greatest interest and importance to the person concerned. To investigate these matters, he says, will require a great deal of time, but for the modest sum of \$1 he promises to go exploring and let the client know the result inside of a month. This period is fixed for two reasons. One is that the seer regards it as a good and impressive policy, and the other is that there are so many of these dollar fortunes demanded that it takes all the time of his typewriters to answer them all.

How Smith Got Started.

One would naturally suppose that a man who was making a fortune at a Wall street pace in a business that has been practiced for centuries without any one becoming rich through it must be unusually gifted. Such is not the case. The history of the Binghamton fortune-telling plant, the most successful in operation anywhere in the world today, proves it. It is simply this:

Three years ago a young man went to Binghamton and opened an office for the practice of clairvoyance. He was a long-haired youth, with sentimental eyes, and an air of mystery about him that became very attractive to the several thousand young persons who make cigars for a living here. So brisk was business that after paying for his office and his meals, Brown, as he may be called, himself, sometimes had as much as a dollar and a half left to get sporty with.

Brown really seemed to think he was a genuine seer. He would go into trances and roll his eyes until the young girls among his clients were in love with him. But unfortunately for him a couple of tough young sports, who had gone to Binghamton for the trotting meet, called on him, and while he was in a trance pulled several

handfuls of his long hair out and swelled his dreamy eyes to abnormal size. He concluded to jump the town. He was worldly enough, however, to desire to realize on the little business he had built up, and so he made it known in certain circles that he was ready to sell out.

About this time another young man of a decidedly different type was working three nights a week in a hat store at the magnificent compensation of \$1 a night. He had a wife and family, and they had a tough time getting along. He also had \$15 in the bank, given him by a rich but miserly uncle on condition that he would lay it up for a rainy day. Without consulting anybody this young man drew his \$15 from the bank, went to Brown's office and in a half hour was the owner of the business.

It wasn't much of a business for a gifted fortune teller, as Brown's experience had shown but it soon showed that it had possibilities for a man with nerve and a thick skin. On \$25 borrowed capital the new man, who may be called Smith, managed to get his advertisements into quite a number of country periodicals. They were very simple little advertisements, just about five lines to each, stating that the great Smith had decided on account of the pressure of his mail business to give up his private practice, and that in the future he could be consulted by mail only. Ten cents in money, not stamps, and a 2-cent stamp for the answer was all that was necessary for a whirl of the mighty Smith's genius.

Smith began to get answers a week later. There weren't many of them; about a dozen in one mail and about twenty in the next, but it was enough to prove that the scheme was all right, and just as fast as he made the money he put it out in advertising again. Today he advertises in more than 2,000 papers and magazines in this country and Canada. As his business began to extend the fortune teller changed

his advertisements. They now read something like this:

"Your fortune told for 10 cents. Simply state your name, age, condition of life, color of eyes, and enclose a lock of your hair and a sample of your handwriting. Smith never fails. Ten thousand fortunes told last month. Address: Smith, Binghamton, New York."

Business an Immense One.

An advertisement in this general style has proved to be the most effective. Smith soon had to move out of the quarters left by Brown. He hired one typewriter, then another, and as each mail brought in several hundred more answers than the preceding one he found that he could use a couple more. This time he took a whole floor in one of the big office buildings and increased his force of typewriters to an even dozen.

It is interesting to see how the business is carried on in this fortune telling factory. Promptly at 9 o'clock each morning the typewriters report. An hour earlier two stalwart men go to the postoffice with a two-handled clothes basket, and bring it back full to the brim with letters. These are dumped in a box alongside the seer's desk and he proceeds to go through each one personally.

Of course, a business of such magnitude could not be carried on unless it was reduced to a system. Smith had shown a good business head in this respect. He is the author of a fortune-telling card, the contents of which are strictly confidential and for use only in his office. One of these cards is placed in front of each typewriter, and printed on it and numbered are the different kinds of fortunes that are told.

Smith has condensed fortune telling wonderfully. In the 10-cent class, which is the big paying class, of course, he only has twelve fortunes. They cover thoroughly every possible condition that may be mentioned by a

client. Smith opens a letter, skims it over, then marks it with a number in blue pencil and tosses it over to the first typewriter. This young woman sees the number on the letter, consults the same number on her card, and under the fortune that is printed there tells it. Then she adds the postscript, stamps the letter and passes it into the clothes basket, in which it is carried to the postoffice later and mailed to the person who sent a dime for it. Knowing his fortune-telling card by heart, Smith works pretty fast once he gets started, and by 9:30 each morning his twelve typewriters are going it for all they are worth.

One of the surprising things about Smith is his frankness in the discussion of his own business. Of course the postal authorities had him up soon after he began operations, but he hired a good lawyer, who showed that every client got his ten cents' worth, and the postal folks admitted that there was no ground on which to close the mails to Smith's business. Consequently he has no fear of being stopped. He was what might be termed up to the neck in work when a Sun reporter called on him the other day and told him he wanted to watch the operations of the fortune-telling factory.

Fortunes Made to Order.

"All right," said Smith, "sit right down here," pointing to a chair beside his desk. "Now," he continued, "I dig down in this pile of letters and take one out at random. I open it so, take out the dime and throw it in this bag. Then I read the letter. Now, let's see what I have here. It's a young woman; of course most of these letters are from women."

"Dear Smith," she says, "I read your advertisement in the Bazaar Watch and I thought I would write you these few lines."

"Isn't it funny that nine out of ten letters are written in just that way? They always thought they would sit down and write me these few lines."

Well, we'll go on. I'm 28 years old and unmarried. What I want to know is when I will be married. I am not in love with any one, but I don't want to be an old maid. Please tell me my whole fortune right away. I have brown hair, as you see by the lock I send you."

"That letter is what I call a pipe. Up to now it's worth 10 cents, but before I get through with this young thing she'll send me another dollar. It isn't a certainty, but it's my judgment based on experience and my ability to push the thing along."

"You will see that I mark this letter No. 6. That is one of my stock fortunes and applies particularly to young women with a hankering for husbands. Here it is on the card:

"After a careful study of your handwriting and hair and aided very materially by the facts which you were kind enough to send me, I am enabled to say that if life has been empty of sentiment for you up to now, it has only been that you might the better enjoy what fate has in store for you. At a glance I could see that you had all the singular attributes of the girl of 28. This difference may be a good thing in youth, but it works much harm when one gets to the age where matrimony is to be thought of. Many a fond heart has been driven from the object it adored because modesty in the object was mistaken for aversion. I am happy to say that up to this time your inclination in this direction has not worked you any harm, but look out. You are 28 now; before you are 30 he will come. Do not drive him away. I have devoted my time in your case to a study of the matter it seemed to me was nearest to your heart. Many other things have to remain untold for the present."

"The postscript in this case hints at a description of the young man who is going to love her, and it's a sure thing that she'll send me \$1 for a full account of him. She'll get it, too. No. 6 is always effective, somehow; I use it whenever I can, for it's a money-maker. When a woman 28 or 30 years old sees herself referred to as a girl it pleases her, and when you hint about a mysterious lover she can't wait to hear more about him. They'll swallow all the nonsense you send them greedily."

Sucker Bait for Suckers.

"Of course, the standard of intelligence among these clients is not high. I don't mind saying that I suspect most of them being cooks, chambermaids and factory girls. I'll bet I've made trouble for a lot of gals by sending out No. 6. I imagine lots of them take that advice about not repelling the hero when he comes as a hint to jump upon his neck and make a declaration of love."

Smith's other eleven fortunes refer to every imaginable subject—love, money, good luck, buried treasure, etc. This seer believes that if you give a person what he wants, you give him entire satisfaction. It isn't hard to tell what will most please the writer of the average letter, and Smith sees that his customers get what they want, and has no objection to laying it on thick.

"What do you do with the hair that they send you?" asked the reporter.

For answer Smith pointed to a big box in the corner. It was half full of little tufts of hair.

"We empty it three times a week," he said. "The hair part is an awful nuisance, but if we didn't ask for it, we'd lose prestige right away. It's one of the superstitions, and a fortune teller that didn't ask for a lock of hair and a sample of handwriting wouldn't do enough business to keep him busy an hour a day. The whole amount of it is that if you are going to catch suckers you've got to use sucker bait." Smith, who used to think himself lucky if he ground out \$5 a week two years ago, now lives in a \$20,000 house and rides to and from his office in an automobile.

SET A TRAP THAT CAUGHT A GHOST

The following story is contributed by a correspondent of the London Daily Mail, on whom every reliance can be placed. It seems inexplicable, but perhaps a solution of the apparent mystery may suggest itself to some ingenious reader:

It is very easy to laugh at a ghost story. Here is one which, laughable or not, actually happened on the night between Saturday, May 11, and Sunday, May 12, in a house in a square in one of the inns within a stone's throw of the law courts.

A personal explanation is inevitable in a thing of this sort. I will make it as short as possible. I am not a believer in ghosts—neither am I a disbeliever. I am no spiritualist, nor am I a skeptic. I simply don't know; but I am curious.

A rather well-known man of letters, a personal friend, took chambers about eighteen months ago in the said inn, of which he is not a member. It was an old house—early Georgian, probably—and consisted mainly of sets of lawyers' chambers. His rooms, three sitting-rooms and a bedroom, were the only rooms in the building inhabited at night

save for the caretaker, who lived in the basement. The writing man's rooms were on the third floor and shut off from the rest of the house by a short staircase and a solid door.

He paid an unusually low rent, and explained this by admitting that there must be something queer about the rooms, as there had been seven or eight tenants in two years. They had one and all left in a hurry and the agents were anxious to let at almost any rent.

My friend filled up most of the wall space with books; read, wrote and mused most of the day and part of the night and admitted in his most confidential moments that "things happened." He did not specify exactly what occurred, but after a time he became nervous and fidgety.

Last month he left the chambers rather suddenly, declaring he could "stand it no longer." He cleared away all his belongings, and once more the rooms were empty.

Hunting for a Ghost.

With another friend, who is of much the same temperament as myself, I arranged an all-night sitting in these rooms, "where things happened." Two chairs and a table were absolutely the only furniture left in the place.

We unlocked the front door at half-past midnight on Saturday last, looked it behind us and turned on the electric light. We were alone in the house.

After mounting the stairs from the outer oak there was a smallish room, through which we passed into the principal apartment. This had a fireplace in the north wall and two doors in the south wall, through one of which was the entrance from the stairs. The other door was that of another small room, which had no other means of communication, so that there was no connection between the two small rooms save through the large room.

We searched the place thoroughly, closed and locked the windows and pulled down the registers of the three fireplaces. There was absolutely no possibility of anyone being hidden anywhere in the rooms. There were no cupboards, no recesses, no dark corners and no sliding panels. Even a black beetle could not have escaped unobserved. The walls were entirely naked. There were no blinds or curtains.

On the floor of the two smaller rooms we spread powdered chalk, such as is used for polishing dancing floors. This was to trace anybody or anything that

might come or go. We had been informed that nothing happened in a room which folks were watching.

The doors leading to the little rooms were closed and we sat in the big room and waited. We were both very wide-awake, entirely calm, self-possessed and sober, expectant and receptive, but in no way excited or nervous.

It was then about a quarter past midnight. We talked in ordinary tones, told each other tales, exchanged experiences—for we have both traveled a good deal—and, curiously enough, discovered we had a mutual friend whom we had never mentioned before, although we had known each other for years.

I only mention these trivialities in order to imply that so far as I am able to judge we were in quite an ordinary frame of mind. We did not deem it necessary to feel each other's pulses or take one another's temperatures, but I am convinced that had we done so we should have found ourselves to be entirely normal.

At seventeen minutes to 1 the door opposite to us on the right, leading to the little room to which there was no communication save through the room in which we were sitting, unlatched itself and opened slowly to its full

width. The electric light was on in all the rooms. The click of the turning of the door handle was audible. We waited expectantly—nothing happened. After a minute or two I precisely the same thing occurred to the door on the left. Both doors were now standing wide open.

We had been silent for a few seconds, watching the doors. Then we spoke. "This is unusual," said I. "Yes," said the other man. "Let's see if there's any resistance."

We both rose, crossed the room, and expecting something, found nothing. The doors closed in the usual way, without opposition or resistance. "Draught, of course," was our comment; and we sat down again. But we knew there was no possibility of draught, because everything was tightly shut. While the two doors had stood open we had both noticed that there was no mark on the sprinkled chalk.

We talked again, but there was a tension, a restraint which we had not felt before. I cannot explain it, but it was there. Languish silences ensued. At 1:32 (my watch was on the table, with a pencil and slip of paper on which I noted the times) the right-hand door opened again, exactly as be-

fore. The latch clicked, the brass handle turned, and slowly the door swung back to its full width. There was no jar or recoil when it became fully open. The opening process lasted about eleven seconds. At 1:37 the left-hand door opened as before and both doors stood wide.

Left Birdlike Traces.

We did not rise, but looked on and waited. At 1:40 o'clock both doors closed simultaneously of their own accord, swinging slowly and gently to within about eight inches of the lock, when they slammed with a slight jar, and both latches clicked loudly, the one a fraction of a second later than the other.

Between 1:45 and 1:55 this happened twice again, but the opening and closing were in no case simultaneous. There were thus four unaided openings and three closings. The first time we had closed them ourselves.

The last openings took place at 2:07 and 2:09 and we both noticed marks on the chalk in the two little rooms. We sprang up and went to the doorways. The marks were clearly defined birds' footprints in the middle of the floor; three in the left-hand room (the passage-room) and five in the right-hand room. The marks were identical and exactly two and three-quarter inches

in size. We are neither of us ornithologists, but we compared them to the footprints of a bird about the size of a turkey. There were three toes and a short spur behind. The footprints converged diagonally toward the doors to the big room, and each one was clearly and sharply defined, with no blurring of outline or drag of any sort.

This broke up our sitting. We raised our voices to normal pitch, measured the footprints, made a sketch of them, lighted our pipes and sat down in the big room.

Nothing more happened. The doors remained open, and the footprints clearly visible. It was just half-past 2. We waited till half-past 3, discussing things we understood nothing about. Then we went home, locking the outer oak behind us, and dropping the key in an envelope, into the letter box of the house agent's office near by. On the embankment we were greeted by an exquisite opal and mother-of-pearl sunrise.

I have stated here exactly what happened in a bald, matter-of-fact narrative. I explain nothing. I understand nothing. I am not convinced nor converted, nor contentions. I have simply recorded facts. And the curious thing about it is that my curiosity has not been cured.

REVOLUTION OF THE AMERICAN FLAG

"Few people who look upon the American flag know its interesting history," said a patriotic citizen who was buying a supply of bunting for Fourth of July decorations, and that history is so full of more interesting because the time is near at hand when, in the fitness of things, a change must be made in our national standard if it is to be maintained as an emblematic design. America has grown and expanded so fast within the past three years that the stars and stripes have lost their significance so far as numerical representation goes. But don't for a moment suppose that I'm going to advocate any radical change in the design. Not on your life. What we must have is merely a rearrangement of the pattern, such as has been made from time to time in the past. Devote the position to Mr. Frederic Harrison, that the American flag lacks beauty and symbolic meaning when judged by the laws of heraldry. I am one of the many thousands of good Yankees who think it the most beautiful banner in the world. All that is needed is a clever re-arranging of the design to bring it up to date, and make it expressive of America's new

greatness as a world power.

The First American Flag.

"The evolution of the stars and stripes makes an entertaining story for anybody with patriotic feelings. The first use of the thirteen red and white stripes was made in the fall of 1775, when the Continental Congress, appointed Franklin, Harrison and Lynch as a committee to devise a standard. General Washington was at that time a British officer, in command of British troops, but his leanings toward American independence were known. In fact, he had told many of his intimates of his intention to head the revolutionary movement. The committee went to Cambridge, Mass., where Washington was in camp, and had a consultation with him. Franklin and his two associates stopped at the home of a patriotic citizen, who, with his wife, was invited to take part in the conference. These people had a great of their own, a mysterious individual known as the 'Professor,' to whom Franklin became deeply attached. This 'professor,' whose identity has never been disclosed, was taken into the confidence of the committee, and it was on his suggestion that the pattern of the colonial

flag was adopted, a series of thirteen alternating red and white stripes, with cross bars of red, white and blue as a corner ornament. From that day to this the only change made in the standard has been the substitution of a blue union with white stars, the number and arrangement of these stars being changed several times to correspond with the admission of new States.

"There is no record of any Congressional action upon the report of this committee, but the design was adopted by General Washington as the general flag and recognized standard of the colonial army and navy. On January 2, 1776, General Washington, who had in the meantime declared for independence, with his own hands raised the first flag made according to the design at Cambridge. This flag was clearly seen by the British officers at Charlestown Heights, who, with the aid of their field glasses, easily made out all the details of its design and construction. These officers interpreted the raising of this flag to mean that 'General Washington thus announced his surrender to them, and they at once saluted the 'thirteen stripes' with thirteen hearty

cheers, following this spontaneous outburst of British enthusiasm with the grander and more dignified official salute of thirteen guns.

Origin of Stars and Stripes.

"While this colonial flag was the basis of our present standard, several other emblems were used before the stars and stripes proper was finally decided upon. Up to the time of the battle of Bunker Hill there was no such thing as a distinctly American flag. A dozen or more different standards were in use. One known as the 'Bunker Hill' flag consisted of a large, plain blue field, with a corner union of white, across which were broad red bars, and in the upper staff corner a green pine tree. On October 26, 1776, General Washington asked two of his correspondents: 'Please fix upon some particular flag, and a signal by which our vessels may know one another. What do you think of a flag with a white ground, a tree in the middle, the motto 'An Appeal to Heaven'?' The Continental Congress readily accepted this suggestion, for it ordered all the cruisers it fitted out that year to fly this emblem. There were

many modifications of his flag, one, which was common, having a field of red or blue, and in this union the green pine tree, with or without a motto. Another favorite device of those days was the rattlesnake with the motto 'Don't Tread on Me,' which tradition popularly ascribes to Paul Jones.

"The colonial flag did not live long. The Continental Congress, in session at Philadelphia, June 14, 1777, took steps to remove from the national flag the suggestion of England, contained the cross-barred union, and the stars and stripes were then born in the following resolution: 'Resolved, That the flag of the thirteen United States be thirteen stripes, alternating red and white; and that the union be thirteen stars, white, in a blue field, representing a new constellation.'

"Admiral Preble, in his exhaustive work 'The History of the Flag of the United States,' says: 'No record of the discussions which must have preceded the adoption of the stars and stripes has been preserved, and we do not know to whom they are indebted for their beautiful and soul-inspiring device.' * * * There are

many theories of its origin, but though less than a century (at the time he wrote) has elapsed, none are satisfactory."

Chronology of the Flag.

"The stars and stripes were first saluted by a foreign power, thus recognizing the independence of the United States, on February 14, 1778. This occurred in French waters, when Admiral La Motte Piquet of the French navy returned the salute of Lieutenant Paul Jones. The flag was first unfurled over the United States military forces at Fort Stanwix, afterward Fort Schuyler, the site of the present city of Rome in New York State, on August 2, 1777. The battle of Brandywine is the first occasion when it is certain that the stars and stripes were displayed at any military engagement—on September 11, 1777. They first floated over a foreign and captured fort at Nassau, January 23, 1778. The first time the stars and stripes were carried around the world was by the Columbia, Captain John Kendrick, which sailed from Boston in the fall of 1793. She passed around Cape Horn in January, 1798, spending the summer on the northwest coast of North America. She sailed thence to China, and returned via Cape of Good Hope, arriving in London in 1799.

"The significance of the colors and formation of the flag is as follows: Red, signifies war, if necessary. White, arbitration, intelligence, justice. Blue, industry and economy. Thirteen stripes suggest the thirteen colonies united in one nation for common defense and mutual assistance. The blue field represents the overarching sky, in which the thirteen stars form a new, a glorious and a permanent constellation.

"As the nation has grown and new States have been admitted to the Union, additional stars have been added to the flag, until today it has forty-four stars, each representing a State. The last star to be put in the flag was in 1891, and it marked the admission of Wyoming to the galaxy of States. Wyoming was admitted to Statehood in 1890, but the law on the subject of the flag provided that new stars can only be added on July 4 next succeeding the admission of a State, so Wyoming had to wait a while."

A SULTAN'S TOYS.

Morocco's Monarch is a Photographer and Rides a Wheel.

The Sultan of Morocco, Abdul Aziz, whose embassy to King Edward has reached London, is only a young man; he is not yet 23, and he has only been

on the throne a few years. Brought up in the seclusion of the palace under the jealous eye of a stern grand vizier, who acted as regent, the Moorish king can hardly be expected to know much about the government of his country. He is, therefore, surrounded by a ministry of Moors who carry on the business of governing in the same way

that their forefathers and ancestors governed for centuries.

He himself is an interesting person. It has been said that he is dull, ignorant, and childish, playing all day with mechanical toys, taking no active part in the government of his country. That is not quite true. He is by no means dull.

Kaid Maclean has taught him a little English, and he is able to converse, using a good deal of face-conviction and gesture, with English travelers.

During the seven months I was at the Moorish court he hardly talked of anything but the late English queen, the "Emperor Pruss," and of Paris and Berlin.

He is exceedingly fond of Western toys. He has a bicycle, which he rides easily. His latest hobby is photography, and he was an exceedingly apt pupil. He quickly learnt to focus properly, judge distance and light, and even to develop and print.

It was some time before I could persuade him to let me take a photograph of himself, as it is against the Moorish religion to produce human

life in any form. At last, however, he consented, and I have a fine picture of him standing by his bicycle. As soon as his slaves saw the picture they wanted to be photographed, too, but not one of them would "stand" unless, like his master, he was holding a bicycle.

The cinematograph has found its way to the far-off Moorish court. Nothing that Europe or America has

since invented has given the sultan more pleasure than the cinematograph. He has had films of nearly every pageant and principal event that has taken place since the process was discovered revealed before him, and he has gone into ecstasies of delight over them. The pictures of the late queen's diamond jubilee procession interested him perhaps more keenly than anything else. From the London Mail.

IN THE FIELD OF LITERATURE.

Laird & Lee and Other Publishers Issue New Books and Periodicals.

The International Vest-Pocket Library, just issued by Laird & Lee, of Chicago, is certainly one of the daintiest, as well as most valuable, collections that ever came under our notice. These six little volumes, uniformly and exquisitely bound in marbled paper, leather backs, include works that are recognized as perfect in their line. A delicate red border frames in every page and enhances the general beauty of the make-up. The titles comprised in this admirable sextet are: "The Webster Dictionary," "The French-English Dictionary," "The Spanish-English Dictionary," "The German-English Dictionary," "The Cyclopedic Question-Settle," and, last but not least, "Electric Sparks," a complete teacher in matters electrical. The dictionaries are all indexed and contain the latest words and most popular idioms in the four leading languages. There is no other such set in existence, either in America or Europe. It is unequalled in completeness, attractiveness and everyday usefulness. Its place is marked on the desk of the teacher, student, journalist, business man, etc., and is indispensable for every one wishing to travel in this country or abroad. For a young girl or young man about entering high school or college, no more appropriate present could be found. The set is enclosed in a pretty box. (The six volumes, \$2.50.)

OVERLAND. The "Overland Monthly" for July has a new and attractive cover and a most varied and interesting table of contents. Coast life of course predominates and the showing is skillfully made. The magazine is published at 51-2 Kearney street, San Francisco.

SUNSET. "Sunset" is a magazine of the border gotten out to advertise California. It fulfills its mission so well that the fact of its being an advertising medium is lost sight of. The finest places for an outing are shown up and there is a nice article on horses of this State from the time of the Missions. It is published by the Southern Pacific Railroad Company in San Francisco.

HOME COMPANION. "Woman's Home Companion" for July is gorgeous in a finely illuminated title-page and a wealth of other illustrations. An interesting article is "Women Lighthouse Keepers," by Mary Nimmo Munroe. "The Companion" is published at Springfield, Ohio.

HARPER'S. "Harper's Weekly" for the current week has a great showing of the Buffalo Exposition. The pictures are excellent and the descriptive matter is ably edited. The paper is published in Franklin Square, New York City.

CURRENT ADVERTISING. "Current Advertising" is the name of a monthly, the purpose of which is sufficiently expressed by its title. It is what it aims to be, a real help to the business man, because it shows what good results may be derived from judicious advertising. It is published by Charles Austin Bates, New York City.

DIGEST. "The Literary Digest" for this week discusses a number of ideal topics, among them being "The Military Situation in the Philippines," and "Afro-American Comments on Disfranchisement." The "Digest" is published at 20 Lafayette place, New York City.

GUNTON'S. "Gunton's Magazine" does not make a specialty of a multitude of articles. But it always gives a choice assortment of thoughtful papers. Among those for this month are "The Mania for Tariff Agitation," "The Railroads and the Postoffice Deficit," and others. The magazine is published at Union Square, New York City.

MUSIC. "Music" for the current month contains a fine portrait of the Theodore Thomas, the renowned conductor. It shows that the great musician is beginning to show the effect of years. "Public School Music" is well discussed by several writers. "Music" is published in Chicago, Ill.

CONCERT GOER. "The Concert Goer" has a fine portrait of Lillian Blauvelt, the soprano soloist at the Buffalo Sangerfest, an article on the Sangerfest, a showing of Cupid capturing musicians and a host of other articles. It is published at 246 West 23d street, New York City.

SEAL OF SILENCE. "The Seal of Silence" is a posthumous work. It was written by Arthur R. Conder. The author, when he applied the title to the novel, had no idea that that seal of silence would be placed on himself by death before his volume would reach the public. And yet, the book was accepted by the publishers when the writer's heart

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Next Monday night Miss Lillian Atwood, who has made such a success in San Francisco and New York, will appear with the Stevens Company and will take a leading part. Miss Atwood has a national reputation and her acquisition by the Dewey management shows much enterprise.

THE TIVOLI. The "Babes in the Wood" is the strong attraction at the Tivoli, and it will undoubtedly continue to draw well till the season of grand opera commences. The house has been unable to hold the people that have wished to get a glimpse of the "Babes" on Saturday and Sunday nights, and those in attendance have thoroughly endorsed the extravaganza.

For the coming week some new topics will be added to the large stock, and the piece will be kept up to date as regards local allusions and jokes. The people have appeared to good advantage, and several of the cast will have new songs for the second edition. The season of grand opera will commence at the Tivoli on Monday evening, July 29th, and the management announces the biggest and best company that has ever appeared at the house.

Several operas that have never been done there before will be given, and an artistic triumph is confidently predicted.

THE ALCAZAR. Florence Roberts, supported by White Whittlesley and the full strength of the Alcazar Stock Company, will usher in the eighth week of her brilliant season with a most praiseworthy presentation of "The Country Girl," a comedy in three acts adapted from the original William Wycherley by Augustin Daly. Although it has been before the public for over two hundred years, having received its first presentation in London in 1675 at the Drury Lane Theatre, it continues to be regarded as one of the finest comedies.

Miss Roberts scored such a success last season in the bewitching role of "Peggy" that little can be said in praise of her rendition that the average theater-goer is not aware of. White Whittlesley will be seen in his original role of "Dick Belville," in which he supported Miss Ada Rehan in her recent tour through this country. George Webster will be seen as "Squire Moody," whose ward is won away from him in spite of his eternal vigilance.

"The Country Girl" will receive the same beautiful and careful production that proved to be a feature of last season's presentation. Like "School for Scandal," this comedy requires elaborate costuming.

MOROSCO'S GRAND OPERA HOUSE. T. Daniel Frawley and his company at the Grand Opera House will give the four concluding performances of "Secret Service" today and tomorrow. A splendid cast, and a fine production of William Gillette's best military play have served to draw crowds to the Grand, which have heavily taxed the great capacity of even this enormous theater. The attraction announced for the week beginning Monday evening is a production of "The White Heather," a spectacular scenic melodrama, by Cecil Raleigh and Henry Hamilton, authors of "The Sporting Duchess," "The Prince of Peace," "The Great Ruby" and other plays of a similar nature, all of which have scored tremendous successes.

"The White Heather," like all of Raleigh and Hamilton's creations, received its first production at the Drury Lane Theatre, London, where it achieved an immediate triumph. It was shortly afterwards brought out at the Academy of Music in New York under the management of Charles Frohman, where its London success was promptly duplicated. Mr. Frawley's presentation of the piece at the Grand promises to be fully equal in every respect to the London and New York productions. A complete scenic equipment has been provided for the play which calls for a mounting of the most elaborate character. The cast will embrace the full strength of Mr. Frawley's remarkable company, including Harrington Reynolds, who will be seen for the first time this season.

CENTRAL THEATER. At the Central Theater during the present week James M. Brophy is appearing in a elaborate production of "Held by the Enemy." Next week he will be the central figure in a fine staging of the stirring drama, "Michael Strogoff," which admits of a great deal of spectacular effect. There will be a large number of people employed in the production.

PANAMA HATS SCARCE AND HIGH. The man who bought his Panama straw hat last year is lucky, for they are practically out of the market today. Those that are to be had are held by the dealers at \$5. The prices are not likely to decrease. The South American makers are absolutely unable to meet the supply, said one of the salesmen in the largest hat store in Fifth Avenue, "and for two months we have been practically unable to

meet the demand for certain average sizes. These hats have suddenly become the fashion all over the world. They are as much in demand abroad as they are here, and the scarcity is the same there. This sudden demand was too much for the makers, who had laid up no reserve stock. Now our prices are \$5 for a hat that cost only three-fifths of that amount last year, and at that price they are to be had only in certain sizes. Others could not be had at any price. We have no idea when a new supply will come in. "Is there still a demand at those prices?" "Strong enough to sell as many as we can get hold of."—New York Letter to the Chicago Tribune.

COCKRAN GETS MEDAL FROM ROMAN CHURCH.

W. Bourke Cockran yesterday received a distinguished honor at the hands of the Roman Catholic church, of which he is an adherent. Archbishop Corrigan, surrounded by other dignitaries and with appropriate ceremony, conferred upon him the Laetare medal of the Notre Dame university. The ceremony of investiture took place in the library of the archiepiscopal palace at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Promptly at that hour Mr. Cockran arrived from the Hotel Renaissance. Besides Archbishop Corrigan and his secretary, Father Connolly, there were present Monsignor Andrew Morrissey, president of the Notre Dame university; Bishop Chatard of Indianapolis; Bishop Farley, Father Riley, the Rev. Dr. Herbermann and the Rev. Fathers Colton, Evers, Taylor and O'Farrell.

Mr. Cockran knelt before Archbishop Corrigan, who invested him with the medal. Monsignor Morrissey then made the address of presentation. Mr. Cockran, in acknowledging the honor, said in part: "The Catholic church is the infallible depository and custodian of Christian truth and revelation. Democracy is the final fruit of Christianity, and Catholic citizenship is, therefore, the most reliable basis of civic patriotism under a republican form of government."

"Every service exalted by the states the Catholic church enjoys as a matter of conscience, and everyone which the states forbid by law the Catholic church forbids under pain of censure. Even in the matter of divorce, although there is an apparent difference, there is, in fact, harmony between church and state.

"Both church and state agree that divorce is deplorable. The Catholic church is the greatest agency in counteracting the causes of divorce through education and defensive morals."

Tom L. Johnson in a Cleveland Pulpit. Cleveland, O.—Mayor Tom L. Johnson Sunday occupied the pulpit of the Euclid Avenue Baptist Church, the one attended by the Rockefellerers, and preached to a large congregation. He said: "The world as a rule is not made so much better by charity as it is made better by justice. When a preacher preaches justice as well as righteousness it is well. We must abolish crimes by breaking down abuses. The most good can be done by breaking down these abuses and unjust schemes. Don't lose sight of the fact that there are men on the outside who are doing good work in preventing crime.

"As has been said, it is a good sign to see politicians and ministers together. It is a big step in the right direction. Don't forget that the best sermons are preached outside the pulpit. "When I listen to the prayers for pardon at the workhouse I hear sermons that it would do every man and woman in Cleveland good to hear. The crime of the world is not always in the individual; it is more often in the environment. Crime comes from poverty and poverty comes from a failure to do justice. Let us aim for justice. "The man who is oppressed is not susceptible to the influence of the pulpit. I am trying to obtain a universal possession of rights."—From the Chicago American.

Kingly Kindness. In a Sunday school sheet published by—well, we won't say what denomination, but the editor-in-chief is a distinguished divine well known the country over—the following in a department entitled "Religious Catechism for Children" recently appeared: "Q—How should you treat your Mormon and Presbyterian friends?" "A—Kindly."

A good man persons prominent in the denomination which the sheet represents have found the above more humorous than religious. Among one family in particular that counts a number of good Presbyterians as its closest friends, the gracious tolerance of the "Catechism for Children" has become a by-word. "Now, children," the head of the house will say, "your little Presbyterian friends are coming to play with you this afternoon. How will you treat them?" And in chorus the children answer, "Just as we would the Mormons—kindly."

The Goulds Bought Hats to Aid the Cripples. Miss Helen M. Gould bought a fine hat, trimmed with lavender ribbon, at Yonkers the other day. Miss Gould did not ask the price of the hat, but cheerfully gave a roll of bills to possess it. Mrs. Edwin Gould, too, paid extravagantly for a dainty bit of millinery.

Some poor lame children will be made happy by the generosity of these two rich women and others. Mr. and Mrs. William Usher Parsons gave a lawn festival at Yonkers for the benefit of the building fund of the Robin's Nest, a home for convalescent crippled children from the New York Hospital for the Cripple and Crippled.

Mrs. Lincoln McCormack and other fashionable and charitable women beautifully trimmed some straw hats and offered them for sale at the festival. Result, \$2,000 for the building fund; becoming and seasonable hats for many women.

Coming to Terms. A cheap-jack Leeds butcher brought his cart to a standstill in Lady Lane. An old lady looked with longing eyes at the pile of bones and gristle which the butcher loftily referred to as "joints" and steaks, but was evidently very poor indeed, for she hesitated to pay for a scale of "selected joints."

"Here, have em at tuppence," growled the butcher. "It's too much," said the woman. "Ave 'em at a penny!" Still the woman hesitated. There was a look of pity, mixed with disgust, on his face as he murmured pathetically: "Still too much? Ere, 'nak it, I'll turn my back while you sneak 'em!"—London Answers.

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